EASTER WEEK AT THE REMODEL SALE

While sales to date in our remodel sale have in every way come up to our expectations, there still remains, by reason of our enormous stock, a vast amount of the very choicest furniture and furnishings. Any impression that our stock now consists of remnants and left overs is all wrong. We have put every article in our entire stock into this remodel sale, nothing escaping the reduced price, and the only way to really get in touch with the values we are offering is to personally visit our store, see the goods, but most important of all, the prices we have put on them. Our remodel sale is beyond question the greatest money-saving sale that has been offered the public—in fact, our stock is marked to sell at such ridiculously low prices that one could well afford to anticipate their future needs.

Monday, the beginning of the third week of the remodeling sale, has much in store for the buying public in this section. Our experienced and capable force, larger now to properly care for the enlarged patronage, is always here and only too glad to give the customer the benefit of their knowledge and experience in the matter of harmonious fittings, selections, etc.

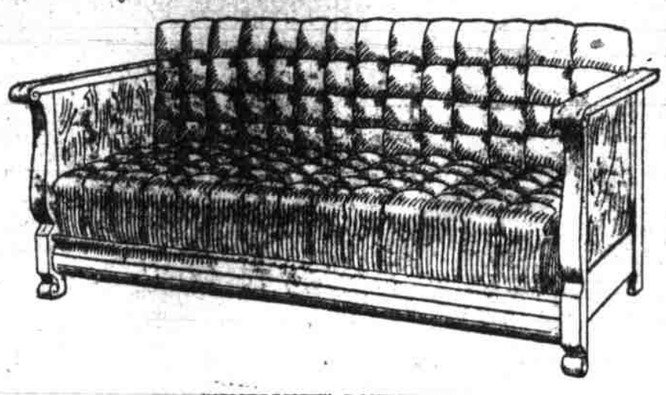
The items detailed in this advertisement are not an index to the vast stock in our store which are being sacrificed to secure the space absolutely necessary to carry on the remodeling of our building.

PARLOR FURNITURE

3-piece Mahogany Suit, loose cushion, regular $32.50; now.....$21.75
3-piece Mahogany Suit, upholstered in leather, regular $45.00; now $32.75
3-piece Mahogany Suit, upholstered in leather, regular $75.00; now $54.50
5-piece Mahogany Suit, upholstered in verona velour, regular $45.00; now.....$32.75
5-piece Mahogany Suit, upholstered in tapestry or silk velour, regular $60.00; now.....$44.00
5-piece Parlor Suit, upholstered in leather, regular $85.00; now $67.50
Correspondingly low prices on fine Leather Chairs, Rockers, Divans and all Chairs.

SIDEBOARDS AND BUFFETS

Golden Oak Buffet, 42-inch base, with 12x40 inch French bevel mirror, regular $18.50; now....$13.75
Golden, Weathered or Early English Buffet, regular $25.00; now..$19.75
Golden or Early English Buffet, regular $37.50; now.....$29.25
Golden Oak Buffet, regular $50.00; now.....$37.00
Early English Buffet, regular $75.00; now.....$61.25
We have Tables, Chairs, Closets to match the above. Buffets at correspondingly low prices.



"SIMPLICITY" DAVENPORTS

Solves successfully the small room problem. Buy during this sale and save 20 to 33 1-3 per cent.

The "SIMPLICITY" is truly an ornamental Sofa and a good Bed—can be changed instantly by a simple push, nothing to get out of order. We have them in Golden Oak frame and upholstered in green velour, regular $45.00; now.....$33.75
Birch Mahogany frame Davenport, upholstered in beautiful rib velour, regular $45.00; now.....$34.75
Weathered Oak frame Davenport, upholstered in Fabrikoid, regular $50.00; now.....$39.25
Early English frame Davenport, upholstered in best Spanish leather, regular $70.00; now.....$56.75
Mahogany frame Davenport, upholstered in reliance leather, regular $80.00; now.....$61.75

RUGS AND MATTINGS

Our stock of Rugs and Mattings is by far the largest we have ever shown and the entire stock is included in this sale. Buy here and you will save 20 to 33 1-3 per cent on all Floor Coverings.

9x12 Axminster Rugs, oriental design, regular $27.50 Rugs; now $21.75
9x12 good TapestryRugs, beautiful patterns, all colors, regular $18.50; now.....$14.75
9x11 Tapestry Rugs, good patterns, regular $16.50; now $11.75
9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs, regular $35.00; now.....$27.75
9x12 Wilton Rugs, beautiful patterns, regular $45.00; now.....$34.75
9x12 Wilton Rugs, beautiful Persian patterns, regular $50.00; now $39.00

We have many beautiful Rugs in all the odd sizes and you can no doubt find what you want here. Rugs 25c. to $45.00.

Good China Matting, all colors, 25c.; now.....$7.50 per roll
Good China Matting, all colors, 27 1-2c.; now.....$8.75 per roll
Good China Matting, all colors, 30c.; now.....$9.25 per roll
Good China Matting, all colors, 35c.; now.....$10.50 per roll
Good Jap Matting, beautiful patterns, 25c.; now.....$6.90 per roll
Good Jap Matting, beautiful patterns, 30c.; now.....$8.75 per roll
Good Jap Matting, beautiful patterns, 35c.; now.....$10.50 per roll

Just received 100 rolls of Matting. Many new patterns will be shown for the first time to-morrow.

W. T. McCoy & Co.

EASTER SONGS AND SERMONS

To-day the Christian world celebrates the glad feast of hope—Easter.

Commemorating the resurrection of Christ, ornaments of joyous colors replace the signs of mourning, rich embroideries adorn the altars, the bells ring out their joyous chimes and in the sanctuary a chant to heaven rises in all voices "Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The observance to-day is doubly impressive by reason of its contrast with the Lenten season just ended. Good Friday, the anniversary of the death of the Redeemer of Mankind, faithful Christians united for the veneration of the Cross, when the Church placed before the eyes of her children the history of the great victim of the human race. The altars, stripped of all ornaments, the silence of the bells, the vestments of mourning in the sanctuary, the solemn service, the sadness upon every face, all united to proclaim the anniversary of a great sorrow.

Easter proclaims a great joy, the resurrection of the Savior. As such it will be fittingly observed the world over. While the observance in Charlotte will be confined largely to the Catholic, Episcopalian and Lutheran churches, nevertheless it will be commemorated in greater or less degree in the other churches as well. The order of services in the several churches is as follows:

Easter Music.

TRINITY METHODIST.

The choir consisting of the following named: Miss C. E. Sessions, soprano; Mrs. M. H. Simmonds, contralto; Mr. Geo. H. Newcomb, tenor; Mr. C. C. Butt, baritone; Mr. R. L. Keesler, organist and choir master; assisted by the following named members of the Richard Orchestra: Mr. Don Richardson, violinist; Mr. A. F. Russack, viola; Mr. Frank Crayton, clarinet; Mr. Louis Baker, cornet; Mr. Ralph Frabier, trombone, will render the following programme:

MORNING SERVICE.

Prelude—"Agnus Dei" ... ... Bizet
Orchestra and Organ.
Hymn No. 156—"Christ the Lord is Risen To-Day."
Chant—"The Lord's Prayer"....Hummel
Anthem—"As It Began to Dawn"..... Vincent
Soloist, Mr. Newcomb.
Gloria—"Glory Be to the Father"..... ... ...Greatorex
Anthem—"Our Savior Lives"....Schoebel
Soloist, Mr. Butt.
Offertory—"Die Nacht der Liebe ....Hawley
Orchestra.
Hymn No. 169—"Sing With all the Sons of Glory."
Sermon—subject, "Risen With Christ."
Anthem—"O Risen Lord"... ... .Fisher
(Violin obligato) Mr. Don Richardson.
Hymn No. 46—"The Son of God Goes Forth to War."
Postlude—"Sarabande"... ... ...Bohm
Orchestra and Organ.

EVENING SERVICE.

Prelude (Violin Solo)—"Largo"....Haendl
Mr. Don Richardson.
Hymn No. 82—"Holy! Holy! Holy!"
Anthem—"Lift Up Your Voices Now"... ... ...Neidlinger
Soloist, Mr. Butt.
Anthem—"Christ the Lord is Risen"... ... ... Dudley Buck
Soloist, Miss Sessions.
Offertory—"March Triumphant"...Vincent
Hymn No. 621—"Hark, Hark, My Soul"
Sermon—Subject, "Beyond the Grave—Life."
Organ Postlude—"Festal March" Calkins

TRYON STREET METHODIST.

MORNING SERVICE.

Organ Prelude... ... .Gullmant
Anthem—God Hath Appointed a Day.. ... ...Tours
Offertory—The Resurrection.. .....Shelly
Solo—The King of Glory.. ... .Coombs
Mrs. E. L. Martin.
Postlude—Pilgrim's Chorus.. ....Wagner

EVENING SERVICE.

Prelude—Chorale... ... ...Mendelssohn
Anthem—King of Kings... .....Simper
Offertory—The Magdelene... ... ..Warren
Postlude—Grand March... ... .Foote
Mrs. H. S. Bryan, Organist.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

MORNING SERVICE.

Organ Prelude—Hosanna.. .. ..Dubois
Anthem—When the Sabbath Was Past ... ... Foster
Solo—My Hope is in the Ever Lasting ... ... Stainer
Mr. Baxtresser.
Anthem—Thanks Be to God .....Critton
Postlude—Grand Choeur.. .. ...Gullmant
H. J. Zehm, organist and choir director.

Union service at the First Presbyterian church at night. The musical service will be under the direction of Professor Zehm.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

MORNING SERVICE.

Organ Prelude.
Doxology.
Invocation
Hymn—"Hark! Ten Thousand Harps and Voices.
Anthem... ... ...Nagler
Solo parts, Mrs. Byrd, Mr. Joseph Jones and chorus choir.
Offertory—Anthem.. .. ..Edmund Turner
Bass Solo—Mr. E. P. Tingley and chorus choir.
Hymn—"The Day of Resurrection"... ... ...Tune Miriam
The Sermon—"The Easter Message."
Prayer.
Hymn—"Rise Glorious Conquerer Rise" ... ...Italian Hymn
Benediction.
Postlude.

UNION EVENING SERVICE.

Organ Prelude—Overture.. .. ....Hollins
Mr. Zehm.
Gloria Patri.
The Lord's Prayer (The congregation joining).
Hymn—"Hark, Hark, My Soul, Angelic Songs Are Swelling.
The Scripture Lesson—Psalm 24.
Prayer.
Hymn—"Jerusalem, the Golden."
The Sermon—"The Problem of Immortality."
Death and Life: A musical setting of the sublime story of the resurrection. Words by Anne Porter Lynnes, the music by Harry Rowe Shelley.
Soloists: Tenor, Mr. Joseph Jones; contralto, Miss May Oates; soprano, Mrs. J. C. Byrd; baritone, Mr. Walter Scott; bass, Mr. E. P. Tingley and the chorus choir.
Benediction.
Organ Prelude—Hallelujah Chorus—Haendl.
H. J. Zehm, organist Second church, acting organist and choir master.

ST. MARK'S LUTHERAN.

Early main service at 4 o'clock.
Prelude—Reverie.. ... ...P. A. Schneker
Anthem—Lift Up Your Heads....Lorenz
Offertory—Faith... ... ...Rossini
Postlude—March... ... ...Gounod
Communion service at 11 o'clock.
Prelude—Andante in G... ... .Batiste
Anthem—Christ the Lord is Risen To-Day... ... ...Poster
Offertory—Andante... ... . Beethoven
Anthem—Rejoice, the Lord is King... ... ...Lorenz
Postlude—March Pentificale.....Tormbelle

The evening service will be given to the rendering of a cantata by the choir, "The Conquering King." This cantata contains some very beautiful music consisting of quartettes for women voices, mixed quartette, solos for the different voices and selections for choruses. The cantata has also selections for Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday, all of which will be sung at the evening service. The choir will be assisted by Miss Margaret Greever, soprano; Miss Catherine Walter, contralto; Mr. R. M. Usher, tenor; Mr. Roy Butt, bass, and Miss Chappelear, violin.

The other members of the choir are the following named:

Sopranos: Misses Agnes Phifer, May Gibson, Edna Hipp, Rosalyn Summer; altos: Misses Hazel Moses and May Bell Greever; tenors: Messrs. W. L. Jenkins, Eduard Scholtz, W. L. Blackwelder and Dr. E. C. Boyette; basses: Messrs. E. C. Frank, A. R. Willman, Rudolph Willman and W. L. Dixon.

W. Harvey Overcarsh, organist and director.

AT THE SELWYN.

The following programme will be rendered at the Selwyn Hotel tomorrow night from 7 to 10 o'clock by the Richardson Orchestra:

Holy, Holy, Holy.. .. .. ..J. B. Dykes
I Lay My Sins on Jesus.. .. ....Wesley
More Love to Thee .. ..Sullivan
Come Thou Almighty King.. ....Giradini
Sun in My Soul... ... ...Monk
He Leadeth Me... ... ...Bradbury
Lead Kindly Light... ... ...Dykes
Praise Him, Praise Him.. .. ...G. A. Allen
Consolation... .. ..Mendelssohn
Melody in F... ... ...Rubinstein

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL.

A rich and varied programme of music has been prepared for the Easter celebration in St. Peter's Episcopal church. It follows:

Morning service: Processional welcome, "Happy Morning," Calkin.
"Christ Our Passover," Easter Chant.
Te Deum, Stanord.
Jubilate Deo, Foster.
Introductory hyma, "Jesus Christ Is Risen To-Day," Lyra Dividica.
Anthem, "Awake, Awake, With Holy Rapture Sing," J. E. West.
Hymn, "The Strife Is O'er," Palestrina.
Communion service: "Kyrie Eleison," Stainer.
"Gloria Tibi," Stainer.
"Sanctus," Stainer.
Recessional hymn, "Jesus Lives," Gauntlett.
Evening services: Processional hymn, "Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain," Sullivan.
"Gloria," Tours.
"Magnificat," Tours.
"Nunc Dimittis," Tours.
Anthems Of The Collects.
"Hosanna," Granier.
Mr. John Q. Fox, soloist hymn, before sermon, "At The Lamb's High Feast We Sing," Elvey.
Offertory anthem, "Now Therefore Our God We Thank Thee," Maunder.
Recessional hymn, "Rejoice Ye Poor In Herat;" Messiler.

MORNING SERVICE.

Anthem, "With Joyful Hearts Let Us Praise Him," Regina Coeli.
Chorus, choir.
Invocation.
Hymn 16.
Scripture reading.
Offertory anthem, "Glory To God," Brackett.
Solo parts, Miss Craven, soprana; Mr. L. J. Townsend, bass.
Prayer.
Response.
Hymn 209.
Sermon, "An Easter Message."
Hymn 459.
Benediction.

EVENING SERVICE.

Anthem, "Look Ye Saints The Light Is Glorious," Reed.
Solo part, Mr. L. J. Townsend.
Offertory, "Christ Is Risen," Dressler.
Solo, Miss Craven.
Violin obligate, Miss Klueppelberg.
"On The Throne," Bartlett.
Solo, Mrs. C. E. Mason, with choir accompaniment; violinist, Miss Bertha Klueppelberg; organist, Mrs. Alex Stephens.

CHURCH SERVICES.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First—The pastor, Rev. Dr. W. M. Kincaid, will preach in the morning at 11 on "The Easter Message;" in the evening the congregation of the Second church will unite with this church and Rev. Dr. J. W. Roseboro will speak on "The Christ is Risen." In connection with the evening service Shelley's beautiful oratorio, "Death and Life," will be rendered by the choir; men's meeting at 9:45; Sunday school at 3:30; mid-week prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 8; all are cordially invited to these services.

St. Paul—Rev. Charles E. Raynal, pastor; Preaching at 11 and 8 by the pastor; men's prayer meeting at 10:30; Sunday school at 3:30; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8; all are welcome.

Tenth Avenue—Rev. A. R. Shaw, pastor. Presaching at 11 and 8 by the pastor; meeting of the session at the close of the morning sermon for the reception of members; Sunday school at 3; Westminster League meeting at 7:45; all are cordially invited.

Belmont—Rev. T. J. Hutchinson, pastor; Sunday school at 10; morning service at 11 and evening service at 7:30; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45; visitors cordially welcome to all these services.

Westminster—Rev. F. D. Jones, pastor. Preaching at 11:15 and 8; special Easter music at both services; Sunday school at 10; a cordial welcome to the public.

BAPTIST.

Ninth Avenue—Rev. L. R. Pruett, pastor. Services to-morrow conducted by Rev. Edward S. Reaves at 11 and 8; Sunday school at 3; prayer service and Bible study Wednesday evening at 8; a welcome to all.

North Charlotte—There will be a union Easter service at the Methodist church at 11, the Baptist and Methodist schools uniting; preaching at 7:30 by the pastor, Rev. S. F. Conrad at the Baptist chapel.

Pritchard Memorial.—Rev. Dr. E. E. Bomar, pastor. Services at 11 and 8; the pastor preaching at both hours; Sunday school at 9:30; this is "rally day" and a large attendance is expected. All are welcome.

First Baptist church, Rev. Herman H. Hulten, pastor—There will be special services at this church. At 11 a. m. in addition to the special musical programme, the pastor will deliver an Easter message. At the night service at 8 he will deliver the first in a series of popular lectures, the subject at this time to be "How to Get a Good Wife." Mid-week services at usual. The Sunday school room, where all of the services are being held while the new church building is in progress, is both pleasant and commodious. All are welcome.

METHODIST.

Dilworth.—Preaching by Rev. A. L. Coburn at 11; Sunday school at 9:45; preaching at Big Spring at 3:30; Sunday school at 2:30.

Calvary—Revival services to-night at 8 and Sunday at 11 and 7:45; prayer and song service at 10:15; Decision Day service for the Sunday school at 3; a cordial invitation to all.

Belmont—Rev. W. S. Hales, pastor. Preaching at 11 and 7:30; Sunday school at 3; services will be held daily through the week at 3:30 in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening; Rev. John H. Bladly, pastor of the Derita church, will do the preaching; the public is cordially invited.

North Charlotte—Rev. A. R. Surratt, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. At 9:45 there will be an old-time singing at the Sunday school. Mid-week services as usual. All are welcome.

Brevard Street—Rev. Harold Turner, pastor—The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; prayer meeting at 10 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening. A cordial welcome to all.

Tryon Street—Rev. H. K. Boyer, pastor. At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach an Easter sermon, and there will be special Easter music. He will preach again at 8 p. m. Men's prayer meeting at 10 a. m.; Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening. All are cordially welcome to these services.

EPISCOPAL.

Church of the Holy Comforter, Sims Hall, Dilworth.—Holy Communion at 11. Sunday school and Bible class at 4.

St. Martin's Chapel, Davidson and Tenth streets.—Holy Communion at 8:30; Sunday school and Bible class at 3; evening prayer and children's Easter service at 8.

St. Andrew's Chapel, Seversville.—Morning prayer and sermon at 11; Sunday school at 4.

Chapel of Hope, East Fifteenth street.—Sunday school at 3:30; evening prayer and sermon at 8.

St. Peter's, corner North Tryon and Seventh streets—Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, rector. Easter Day. Celebration of the holy communion at 6:30; morning prayer, sermon and communion at 11; Sunday school Easter service at 3:30; evening prayer and sermon at 8; pews free; all are welcome.

A. R. P.

First.—Usual services Sabbath morning and evening; preaching by the pastor; theme of morning sermon: "The Yielded Life."

East Avenue Tebernacle.—Preaching at 11 and 8 by the pastor, Rev. John A. Smith; Bible class at 10:15; Sabbath school at 3:30; Y. P. C. U., at 7; friends and strangers cordially invited to attend these services.

Villa Heights.—Sabbath school at 1:30; preaching at 2:45 by Rev. John A. Smith; the Lord's Supper will be observed after the service; a cordial invitation to the public.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Christian Science Society—Services Sunday at 11 and Wednesday evening at 8, at No. 401 South Church street; subject of Sunday's lesson sermon, "Doctrine of Atonement;" the public is cordially invited to attend.

First Church—Services held in the hall, at No. 22 1-2 West Firth street, Sunday at 11 and 8; subject, "Doctrine of Atonement;" the public is cordially invited.

First Baptist Sunday School.

The following programme will be rendered at the First Baptist Sunday school this afternoon at 3 o'clock:

Music by orchestra.
Singing by school.
Solo by Miss Craven.
Reading of the lesson.
Singing by school.
Cornet solo by Miss Laura Dresser.
Prayer.
Solo by Mr. Overcarsh.
Singing by school.
Selection by orchestra.
Announcements.
Closing hymn.

EASTER SERVICE FOR MEN.

Rev. F. M. Osborne and Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt the Speakers This Afternoon at the Y. M. C. A.

An Easter service for men will be held at the Young Men's Christian Association this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The service will be addressed by Rev. Francis M. Osborne, rector of the Church of the Holy Comforter, and Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church.

The addresses, music and Scripture readings will be appropriate to the occasion.

Mr. Cyril D. Baxtresser will sing a solo. All men, whether members of the Young Men's Christian Association or not are invited to attend. Strangers spending the day in the city will be especially welcome.

Colored Church Services.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Special preparations have been made for the Easter services to-morrow at St. Michael's and All Angels Episcopal church, of which Rev. P. P. Alston is rector. Prof. A. Myron Cochran is organist. Following is the order of services:

PROGRAMME—11 A. M.

Processional Hymn... 491
"Gloria Patri" (After Psalter).....Mozart
"Christ Our Passover"... .. ..Carroll
"Te Deum"... ... ...Kingsbury
Benedictus... ... ... .Plain Chant
Credo. . . ..Stainer
Hymn 115.
Kyrie.. ... ...Stainer
Gloria and Gratias ... ...Stainer
Hymn 456.
Sermon... ... ... Rev. P. P. Alston
Offertory Organ Voluntary.
Sursum Corda and Sanctus .. ...Stainer
Benedictus... .. ..Stainer
"Gloria in Excelis" .. ..Stainer
Recessional Hymn 516.
Postlude... ... ..."Halleluiah"

5 P. M.

Processional Hymn 460.
Special Psalms... 113-114-115
Gloria Patri (After Psalter).....Mozart
Magnificat... ... ...Plain Chant

CANTATA.

Male Chorus—"Sing Aloud Unto God Our Strength."
Bass Solo—"Therefore My Heart is Glad," Edward W. Moss.
Chorus—"Thou Wilt Show Me the Path of Life."
Contralto Solo—"For If We Believe," Miss Neal.
Trio—"Joy Cometh in the Morning," Mrs. Phelps, Miss Neal and Mr. Jackson.
Solo—"The Stone Which the Builders Refused," O. J. Jackson.
Chorus—"Lift Up Your Heads, O Ye Gates."
Tenor Solo—"I Will Extol Thee," O. J. Jackson.
Unison Chorus—"The Day of Resurrection."
Semi-Chorus—"Behold I Show You a Mystery."
Chorus—"Christ the Lord is Risen Again."
Offertory—Selected.
Final Chorus—"Blessed Be the Lord God."
Concluding Prayers and Benediction.
Recessional Hymn 516.
Cantata is by Mrs. Carrie B. Adams.

Ebenezer Baptist—Preaching at 11, 3 and 8:30 by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. R. Cozart, the morning sermon answering the skeptics on the resurrection of Christ; Sunday school at 1.

Friendship Baptist—Preaching at 11 and 8:30 by the pastor, Rev. G. O. Bullock; morning sermon, "The Resurrection of Christ Completed the Plan of Salvation;" evangelistic services in the Sunday school at 1; J. L. Walker, superintendent.

A. M. E. Zion—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Alexander Hannum, at 11; special Sunday school programme at 3; special programme by W. C. T. U. at 8; at each service special music will be rendered.

C. M. E. Church—Rev. J. W. Perry, pastor. Preaching at 11; Sunday school at 3; preaching at 3:45; special preparations have been made for the Easter service at 8; the choir will excel all past records; all are welcome.

Emanuel Congregational—Preaching at 11; Easter Sunday school services at 3; usual Sunday school at 1; Christian Endeavor at 6:45; welcome to all; Rev. G. V. Clark, pastor.

EASTER MORN.

Written for The Observer.

While oppressed with life's toils and cares, nothing sweeter greets the Christian ear than the soft tones of the pealing bell in the still, silent hours of an Easter morn, inviting the weary, worn pilgrim to the sanctuary, to there commemorate the memory of the holy life, the suffering and death of the Risen Lord. In partaking of the elements of the broken body and shed blood of the Lamb that was slain for the redemption of poor fallen man, the mind recalls the pathetic scene in ethsemane and agony on the blood-stained cross; the spirit is subdued, the heart mellows and the soul thrills with the joy and gladness. Thus each child returns to the stern, busy duties of life stronger, more hopeful and encouraged, and with confidence he leans on the strong arm of the faithful guide, who leads him o'er the perilous pathway, through life's pitiless storms, whose journey ends on the portals of the Celistial City, with its sparkling fountains and free of life, its heaven-built walls and pearly gates, where the feary, trusting soul joins in the chorus of the redeemed whose sounds are as many waters, praising Him who liveth forever and ever.

C. MASNAIR.

[For The Observer.

FOR EASTER.

"Who shall roll us away the stone?"
O faithless heart, be still.
Thy Lord is sitting on the Throne,
Then wait His time, His will.

Though buried in a silent tomb,
Thy brightest hopes lie dead.
His glory soon shall chase the gloom
And light effulgent shed.

Thy dead He gives thee back again,
Thy weakness He makes strong.
For buried seed, the ripened grain,
For bitter tears, a song.

Then trembling hearts come, brok-en day,
Your gifts of love and praise;
The stone Himself hath rolled av-
High hallelulahs raise.