

BAPTIST CHURCH

A. W. McDaniel, pastor, Bible school at 9:15 a. m. Morning worship 11 to 12. Theme of sermon, "Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it Holy." Evening service at 8:15. The Young People's Union at 8:15 Monday evening. The Mid-week service for prayer, Bible study and fellowship at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday. Choir practice Friday evening.

These services are for everybody and all are cordially welcome, especially strangers and visitors.

SECRETARY BRYAN RESIGNS

When the principles on which the note to Germany should be based were discussed at a cabinet meeting last Friday, Secretary of State Bryan found that he could not reconcile his own position with that of the administration. He resigned his portfolio on June 8, and the resignation was accepted by the president.

Mr. Bryan's letter of resignation was answered by President Wilson, who expressed deep regret for the severance of their relations.

After the acceptance of the resignation the cabinet approved the response which had been prepared to the German reply to the Lusitania note.

CONVICTS HEAR SINGING

Upon an invitation from the men of the county road camp, the Rocky Hill choir visited the camp Sunday and sang a number of very impressive hymns. The choir differed from many others in that it not only kept strict time and had sufficient volume and the required quality, but that each member sang with expression and impressiveness. The men of the camp appreciate the visit, and wish to take this method to express their appreciation for this kindness to every member of the choir.

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On June 7 one of the most startling events of the war occurred, when a German Zeppelin containing twenty-eight men was destroyed by a British aeroplane controlled by a young Canadian named Warneford. The British machine mounted into the air in spirals above its foe and dropped explosive bombs upon it till the huge mass of the Zeppelin burst into flames. It fell upon Belgian territory and alighted on an orphanage building causing several deaths and considerable damage. The incident closely followed a Zeppelin raid on the English coast, when five persons were killed by explosive bombs and forty others injured.

CLOCK IN UNUSUAL PLACE

Set in the Floor of Hotel at Worcester, Mass., It Has Excited Much Comment.

In the center of the lobby of a hotel newly constructed at Worcester, Mass., a large electrically illuminated clock is embedded in the floor. The clock is covered with a plate-glass face one inch thick and two feet in diameter. The numerals and minute marks are etched in by sand-blasting on the under side of the glass, which is held in place by strong bronze rings. The face of the clock is lighted by electric lamps, and in the evenings its luminous countenance forms the most striking feature in the hotel.

The clock is a self-winder. Its hands are driven by a spring-operated and balance-wheel-controlled train set in a recess in the floor. This recess is formed by a metal box 10 1/2 inches deep, which is painted white inside. Eight inches below each numeral on the glass face is a ten-watt tungsten lamp placed horizontally. The white finish of the containing box reflects the light from the 12 lamps evenly through the dial.

A small motor operated by three dry cells at intervals of five minutes winds the spring of the clock. Those cells, it is estimated, will suffice for the working of the clock for one year before a new battery must be installed. Thus, costs of maintenance are little, while the satisfaction which the timepiece brings to the idle lobby lounge who may watch the minutes flying at his feet is large.

Dredge as a Life Saver.

When Anson Babcock, fourteen years old, fell into the Susquehanna river at Klines Grove, Pa., the other day he did not reappear and men and boys grappled and dived for the body.

Three hundred feet down stream a coal dredge was working, and in a few minutes the digging machine threw the little fellow up on the screen, apparently dead.

His frantic mother, who lives close to the stream, urged that they try to save the boy, and a half dozen men took turns under her directions, at length they succeeded in the injured method. After a half hour's work the boy showed signs of life and by evening was able to eat his supper.

Doctors said that it was one of the rarest cases of resuscitation that they ever heard of.

Actress Starts Sandal Craze.

Mlle. Provost, the well-known actress of the Comedie Francaise, has started a new fashion in footwear by appearing in Parisian salons and in the corridors of the theaters with her feet bare but for sandals.

When asked whether the latest craze would lead to a crisis in the boot trade, Mlle. Provost smiled and replied: "I do not think so; my boot-maker furnishes less material, but I do not see any reduction in the price charged."

"Further, my sandals are fastened with ribbons ornamented with emeralds and turquoise. I do not think the jewelers either will have any cause for complaint."

The Program.

"I see where the police board wants to sue the city."

"Yes; the board is evidently determined to arrest those estimate proceedings."

"And wouldn't it be a punishment to let the crime go if for shortening their allowance, they could send the board of estimates to the court?"

MARRIED MEN LIVE LONG

Statistical Expert Has Proven That Husbands Are Better Risks Thanachelors.

Dr. Franz Curadze, the German statistical expert, has discovered a new "barrier" between men and women. After studying the statistics of deaths and marriages he declares: "If men want to enjoy long life they should marry; if women want to grow to a good old age they should remain spinsters."

He admits that his conclusions can be established with greater certainty when the city of Berlin publishes its proposed statistical tables of widows, widowers, divorced persons and persons who secured separations at various ages, but he says that tables already available show that married women die sooner than the unmarried, whereas married men live longer.

Statistics show that the fatal age for all males, married and unmarried, is about forty-four, whereas for the married men it lies between fifty-five and sixty.

The fatal age for all women is about fifty, ten years more for unmarried women, and nearly ten years less for married.

Thus, if Doctor Curadze's statistics are to be believed, the woman who remains single may expect 20 years more of life than her married sister.

Marriages dissolved by the death of the wife last, on an average, ten to fifteen years, those dissolved by the husband's death usually last 20 to 25 years.

According to this the number of widowers in the average community is always considerably in excess of the number of widows. This is only one of the interesting questions which will be answered by the elaborate statistics now being collected in Berlin.

HAS A BACKBONE OF STEEL

Broken Vertebrae of Man's Spinal Column Replaced in Most Unusual Operation.

As the result of one of the most remarkable surgical operations, Frank Harrison, aged thirty-one, of Vestal, N. Y., has been able to walk again. He was taken to the hospital with a steel brace. A steel tube, joined to make it as nearly as possible like the vertebrae of the spinal column, replaced 20 of the vertebrae, which were crushed by a fall from a scaffold.

Several weeks ago Harrison tripped and fell to the ground, landing on his back. It was found that the lower and middle portions of the spinal column had been crushed and the resulting pressure on the spinal cord had paralyzed his legs. It was not believed that he would be able to survive, but he was taken to the hospital. Dr. C. S. Wilson, W. H. Wilson and R. O. Crozier finally decided upon an operation in an effort to save his life.

As a preliminary the surgeons removed the pieces of the 20 crushed vertebrae, then took a careful measurement of the portion of the spine removed. Then they ordered a steel tube about three feet long, shaped like the spine, with flexible joints, to be made, extreme care being taken that every nerve branching from the spinal cord should be in its proper place. Harrison was placed in a plaster cast. He has improved so much that he is now able to move his legs in the bed and the surgeons believe that he will entirely recover and be able to walk as well as ever.

Not Fated to Commit Suicide.

The tragic intentions of a married couple named Bin have caused some amusement to the townsfolk of Bar-sur-Aube, France, by the results of their repeated attempts to commit suicide. M. Bin started by trying to hang himself in the cellar, but the rope was not strong enough to carry out his wishes, and safely, if suddenly, he was deposited back on the floor. Mme. Bin, deeply affected by her husband's act, in despair proceeded to do likewise, with a similar result. The couple then tried suffocation by gas, but workmen repairing the main stopped the supply, fortunately, but unwittingly, preventing the tragedy. Undismayed at this new failure, and as though "never say die" was her motto, Mme. Bin threw herself down a 20-foot well, M. Bin following. There they expected to drown, but there was barely three feet of water. After being against hope for several hours their whereabouts was discovered by neighbors, who promptly hauled them out of the well and back to wisdom. They have promised not to start again.

Girl Moved by Crane.

When the king and queen were making a tour of the Beardmore works, at Parkhead, Glasgow, a 120-ton crane began to move from the opposite end of the workshop. Great was the astonishment of their majesties to find that, instead of the usual huge gun, a pretty girl, carrying a bouquet, was the burden of the crane.

She stepped off the plate at the feet of the queen, and with a courtesy, asked her majesty to accept the flowers from the workmen, with love and their thanks, for coming to Parkhead. The queen was delighted beyond measure.

Complicating the Calculation.

"What is the fourth dimension?" "I don't know, and to tell the truth I hope it will never be located. If they can find out how to measure it they'll begin to charge for it in selling houses and lots."

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After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

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