THE CHARLOTTE NEWS, CHARLOTTE, N. C., SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1921.



A. R. P.

chalmers Memorial Meeting House.

South and East Boulevards, Griffith, pastor. Preaching Rev. Lewis R. Anschutz, minister in 5 p. m. Y. P. C. U 6:30 p m at 3 p. m. Evening prayer and aervice Wednesday 8 p. m. mon at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome. school after morning worship ty welcome to all

First A. R. P. Church, W B. Lindsay, pastor. Preaching , at 3 p. m. 8 o'clock. Sabbath school ovce M. Brown, superintendent. Union at 6:45 o'clock. Prayer Wednesday night at 7:30

The Tabernacle.

m. Dr. Geo W Pressly, sunt. All young people's soneet at 6:30 p. m. Congregaprayer meeting every Wednesday

North Charlotte Chapel. Located on Eighteenth street.

nool at 3:30 o'clock with Lieut rs as superintendent. Villa Heights A. R. P. Church.

m. Morning service 11 a. son at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening Willing Helpers and Jun- Vested choir, Strangers are cordially in

at 6. Prayer service Wed-7:30, Y. P. C. U. Friday at

CHURCH OF GOD.

Courteenth and Caldwell servico 11 o'clock. Wednesday night



**INVITES YOU** 

EPISCOPAL. Chapel of Hope,

Seventeenth and Caldwell streets. Rev. E. F. Hargett. pastor. Sunday school 3 o'clock. W. F. Frazer, super and 8 p. m. Intermediate charge. Sunday school every Sunday Intendent. Preaching 7:30 o'clock. Special services today. The Holy at 11 a.m. Epworth League 6 p.m. Communion full choir at 10:45 a. m. Preaching 7 n m. R. L Forbis, P C.

Special song service in the new Chapel Church of the Holy Comforter.

Bishop Atkinson Memorial. South Boulevard, Rev. R. B Owens rector. Holy communion 7:30 a. m. (First Sundays 11 a. m.) Sunday school 9:45

m. C. V. Palmer, superintendent. W OFF, D. D., pastor. Preach Morning service and sermon 11 a. m. m, and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath Evening service and address 7:30 p. m St. Andrews, Seversville. Clarkson Memorial. Rev R. B. Owens priest in charge. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Mr. J. D. Ball superintendent. Holy Communion second Sundays, 11 a. m.

Evening prayer and sermon on first Sab and third Sundays at 4 p. m. St. Martin's Episcopar Church. Seventh street, near Hawthorne Lane,

Sunday school 9:45. Holy Communion er service 7:30. Boyce, pastor. Sabbath and sermon by rector, Rev. John L. Jack-

Sunday school 9:45 o'clock, with L. Corner Tryon and West Seventh street services Sunday at 11 o'clock and 7 statesville Avenue A. R. P. Church. Rev. E. A. Penick, jr., rector, Holy o'clock. Rev. W. B Davis is pastor Statesville Avenue A. R. P. Church. Communion 7:30 a. m. Church school Senior League meets at 6 o'clock. Pray-Williams, pastor. Sabbath 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon er meeting Wednesday night at ? m. W. P. Kyaw, su- 11 Holy Communion first Sunday 11 a. o'clock Worship at 11 and 7:30. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30. Calvary Methodist Church. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by

Sunday school 9:45 a. m., George Dooley, superintendent. Junior League Sunday 3 p. m. Senior League Sunday evening 6:45. Senior' Epworth League prayer meeting Sunday 3 p. m. Brevard Street Methodist. Tenth and Brevard streets. Public

worship at 11 a m. and 8 m. Rev. W. R. Shelton, pa Shelton, pastor, o'clock. M. W. Sunday school 9:45 o'clock. Evans, superintendent, Mid-week ser vice Wednesday at 7:45 o'clock. Ep-

METHODIST.

Hawthorne Lane Methodist.

at 7:30 p. m. Schier and Junior Epworth

Chadwick Methodist Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching

Tryon Street Methodist Church.

Hardin pastor. Sunday school, 9::45

o'clock, D. E. Henderson, superintende

ent. Preaching at 11 and 7:30 o'clock.

by the pastor. Devotional meeting of

Junior room. Prayer meeting Wedness

dent. Regular services at 11 and 7:30

Belmont Park Methodist.

clock. Epworth League Devotional

White Gift Service at 11 a. m.; 7:30

day evening at 7:30 o'clock.

. m. Christmas Music Service.

Tryon and Sixth streets. Rev. H. G.

League, 7 p. m. Seversville Methodist Church.

Hawthorne Lane a id Eighth street

noon at 3 o'clock Dilworth Methodist Church. Corner Cleveland and Worthington A. Falls pastor. avenues, Rev. L. Sunday school 9:45 d'clock. James F. Clark, superintendent, Preaching at 11

o'clock and 8 o'clock. Prayer ser vice at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Duncan Memorial. Fourteenth and Brevard size-ts, Rev. J. A. Smith, pastor. A. A. Short, superworth League services Sunday afterintendent of the Sunday school. Sunday school services at 10 a. m., preaching service at 11 o'clock. Seversville Wesleyan Methodist.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to all. H. W. Hawkins, pastor.

Spencer Memorial Methodist. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., L. E., Anlerson, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. J. H. Arm-brust, pastor. Everybody cordially m

## Second Presbyterian. Rev. A. A. McGeachy, pastor. Services at 11 and 7:36 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45 o'clock. Young People's Society meets at 6:45 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Presbyteria Church. Rev. A. S. Johnson, D. D., pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45. Services 11 and 7:30 p. m. Strangers and traveling men cordially invited.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church. Rev. Charles G. Lynch paster. Sab tath school and men's Bible class 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a .m. Jr. C. E. 8 p.m. Y. P. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Evering worship 7:30. Teacher training class Wednesday 7:45 p. m. Tenth Avenue.

Rev. Daniel Iverson pastor, Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at Epworth League 6:45 o'clock in the 9:45 a. m. Senior and Junior Christian meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. Session meets 30 minutes before each service.

The public is cordially invited. Wilmoore Presbyterian Church.

Tryon and Second streets. Dr. J. E. Abernethy, pastor. Sunday at 9:45 Abernethy E. R. Bucher, superinten-Thomasboro Presbyterian Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

services 6:30. Junior and Intermediate League 3:30 o'clock. Wednesday pray-meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Knox Presbyterian Church.

Travis avenue and East Fifth street, Rev. G. F. Bell, pastor. Sunday school 6:15 p. m. Evening ser- St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church M. Smith as superintendent. Regular 9:30 o'clock, Sunday services 11 and 8 o'clock. Junior C. E. 6 o'clock. Inermediate C E. 3:30 o'clock. West Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Preaching 11 and 8 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. C. C. Anderson. Sunday school 9:45 o'clock. D. H. Johnston, superintendent. E. C. Society at regular counter. hours. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 There

the pastor, Rev. J. A. Sharp. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. o'clock. Westminster Presbyterian Church. day school 9:45 a. m.

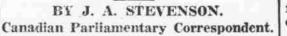
McGee Presbyterian Church, Hoskins, Services first and third Sundays, cially the tax-exempt bonds of the Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching at first issue, so that the number of per-4 p. m. second and fourth Sundays. sons holding liberty bonds today is Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching materially less than it was originally.

at 11 a. m. Pegram Street Presbyterian Church. Rev. John E. Wool, pastor. Sunday ings at the lowest figure they had school at 10. Clyde Stewart, superin- reached. The values went still lowertendent. Services at 11 and 7:30.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH. East Trade and McDowell streets. Sunday school 9:45 o'clock, with J. E. Elrod, superintendent. Preaching at 11 and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. A. Downs, pastor.



Likely to Have Pronounced Effect Upon All British Commonwealths.



PRICE OF BONDS **IS NEARLY PAR** 

Liberty Bond Holders Get Present of Nearly Two **Billions of Dollars.** 

BY HARDEN COLFAX, Staff Correspondent of The News, Copyright, 1921, by News Publishing Co.

New York, Dec. 24 .- A Christmas present of nearly one and three-quarter billion dollars has been laid in the laps of liberty bondholders by the year of 1921. Since the first day of January, liberty bonds have risen in market value an average of nearly nine points for all issues. The lowest in value, selling last New Year's at 84, is selling today at approximately 96 1-2; the highest in value sold last New Year's at 89.60, it is selling today at approximately 93.30.

Paradoxically, the lowest market value bond of last New Year's is the highest in value this, Christmas. That is the bond of the fourth loan. The highest in market value last year, the first loan bond, is selling today at a lower price than any other issue. The first has become the last and the first last within the space of the year.

The foregoing quotations do not take into consideration the Victory loan. That issue was selling last New Year's at 94 and 95 for the 3 3-4 and 4 3-4 securities, respectively. Recently both securities crossed par and are selling at identical figures. The increase in market prices adds \$200,000,000 to the value of those securities over the

There are outstanding at the pres-ent time more than 15 billion dollars in Liberty bonds and nearly four bil-Rev. W. B, McIlwaine, Jr., pastor. lion in Victory bonds. Originally more ervices at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sun- than 20 million persons owned them. Countless numbers of the bonds have been sold and re-sold, however, espe-To the man who held onto his bonds, however, 1921 has been more than gen-North Pegram and St. George streets, lerous. The year started with his holdthough fractionally in most issuesduring the first few months of the year, then remained stationary with almost imperceptible fluctuations, and slowly began to rise.

They have been rising now for the past six months. The bonds of the first loan have risen from 89.60 to 93.30; those of the second loan from 85 to 96; those of the third from 87 to 96; fourth from 84 to 96 1-2 and Victory notes from 94 and 95 to 100. EVERYTHING ELSE LOWER.

And during the year, everything else of value-stocks, manufactured goods, fuel, clothing, food, wages-dropped downward and still downward as the process of readjustment wrung out the inflation of war prices. Bonds alone went up. There is one chief reason for this, there is no inflation in a Liberty bond.

officials believe the bonds Treasury



MATT. 1:21-"And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS; for he shall save His people from their sins."

Today is the birthday of Jesus our Savior. All men, everywhere, should worship him on this of all days.

Stallings pastor, Sun- meeting, 8 o'clock. Reading room hours o'clock. Preaching 11 a. 12 noon to 5 p. m., except Sundays and 10 p. m. Prayer and praise legal holidays. Reading room at Room

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. West Trade and North Cedar streets. Sunday school 9:45 o'clock. Regular

Christmas Concert under direction Mrs. Coral Hayner Baker at 7:30 Р. М.

Preaching at 11:00 A. M.

A. A. McGeachy, Pastor J. T. McCutchan, Ex-Sec.





# MAY HAPPINESS AND COUNTLESS GIFTS BE YOURS **ON THIS FESTIVE OCCASION. COULD** THERE BE ANY **BETTER WISH?**

BAPTIST. First Baptist. family. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service 7:30.

Morning subject: "The First Christ-mas"; 7:30 p. m.: "Virgin Mother." West Oaks Baptist Churck. reaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Brock.

Allen Street Baptist Church. Charlotte avenue, Ret R. D. Car and 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school 3:43 o'clock. Sr. and Jr. B. Y. P. U. 5:30 Wednesday. Ninth Avenue Baptist.

accurately defined. Rev. L. R. Pruetie pastor Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school You are invited to attend these services.

Chadwick Baptist Church. Rev. P. A. Hicks, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45, J. W. Rodgers, superintendent, Preaching at 11 and 7. B. Y. P. U. at 6. Teachers' meeting Werk nesday evening at 7. Sunbeams second and fourth Sundays at 4. Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church.

South Boulevard and Templeton ave-The pastor, Rev. W. A. Smith, will preach at both hours. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., J. M. McMichael, uperintendent. Morning subject: "Thoughts of Christ." The evening hour will be giv en to the rendering of Christmas carols by the choirs. The Sunday school will

have its Christmas entertainment on Monday evening at 7:30. LUTHERAN.

St. Mark's Lutheran. Rev. John Fielding Crigler, pastor. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. V Sutton, superintendent. Luther League

6:30 a. m. Matin's Carols by vested years. choir, story of the Nativity; 11 a. m. sermon by the pastor. Subject. "Good Tidings of Great Joy"; 7:30 p. m. Ex-ercises by the Sunday School. The free will offerings will go to Missions, Ministerial Relief and the Near East Relief.

Holy Trinity Lutheran. Central and Thomas avenues. Rev.

W. A. Lutz, pastor. Services 11 and 7 tions with leaders of the progressive 'clock; Sunday school 9:45 o'clock, W. L. Dixon, superintendent. Communion at 11 a. m.; Christmas part of the progressive program will be celebration by the Sunday school at 7 p. m. Public cordially invited.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS. Services now held in the new church at 215 North McDowell street. Sabbath strength of the Liberal party, is not school (Saturday) at 9:45 a. m. Preach- prepared for such a radical program as ing at 11 a. m. Young people's mest. the progressives are demanding as the ing at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wed. price of their co-operation and Mr. King nesday evening at 7:30. Elder Charles E. may expect a number of bolters. What

Ford, pastor. Subject at 7:30: "The Meaninng of mation of the Liberal into a radical Christmas And Its Origin." Welcome party and the negotiations which are to all.

CATHOLIC.

St. Peter's Catholic Church. St. Peter's Catholic Church. First and Tryon streets, Rev. F. Anthony, O. S. B., pastor. First mass Use for the liberal elements who dislike an at 8 a. m. High mass and sermon at alliance with the progressives, are like-10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. ly to secede and join Mr. Meighen, the Devotions and Benediction at 4:30 p. outgoing Premier, who will be provided Confessions on Saturday at 4:30 with a Parliament seat in the near fuand 7:30 p. m. Daily mass and Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. All are wel-

Staff Correspondent of The News. are going to rise still higher; that ev-Copyright, 19:41, by News Publishing Co. ery issue of Liberty bonds is going to

Ottawa, Ont. Dec. 24 .- Canada is cross par before next Christmas. While lack of inflation is the prime watching the Irish debate with keen in-Dr. Luther Little pastor. Sunday watching the Irish debate with keen in-school at 9:30. Classified for the entire terest for the outcome of the Irish setreason for the gain in the value of bonds, there are two secondary considtlement is likely to have a pronounced erations, financial authorities here say effect upon the Dominion as well as the which have contributed greatly to the other British commonwealths. Already

rise in quotations. there is a demand here among a consid-First of the reasons is the quieting erable political element for pressure on down of business generally; its shrink-Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and the Imperial Government at London for age in volume, thereby releasing funds a constitutional conference to define for investment and enhancing the the exact status of the Dominions. value of Government securities.

Canada's constitutional position has Second is the drop in interest rates. been taken as a basis for an Irish, set- Since the first of the year, there has roll, pastor. Phone 1520-J. Service 11 tlement, but as a matter of fact in been a heavy reduction all along the some respects the relations between the line in the cost of borrowing money. Dominions and Great Britain are very Lenders are not able today get the o'clock. Prayer service 7:30 o'clock indeterminate and, if the settlement, high rates they got a year ago. The comes to full fruit, they will have to be gilt-edge 8 per cent bond at par is no longer seen in fresh issues among the

The late government here agreed to brokers' wares, as it was early in the postpone the accurate definition of the meet, at 9:45 a. m. Sr. and Jr. B. Y. various British states, but the new gov-P. U.'s meet at 6:15 p. m. Prayer ser ernment is likely to urge the constituyear. In the realm of investment, the ernment is likely to urge the constitu- seller's market. The buyer is bidding ice and teachers' meeting Thy sday tional conference, which is being de- now and he has to bid more and more manded by the progressives. for the best security on earth, the

One very important question involved Liberty bond. is the right of secession. Can any of A third cause for the rise is the torthe Dominions sever their connection rent of gold that has come to this with the British Empire? Legally the country since last New Year's. Nearly answer is "No", but an affirmative re-\$700,000,000 is the unofficial measure of ply was given such a question in the the gold imports. This mountain of British House of Commons on March gold has made money easier, brought 30, 1920 by Mr. Bonar Law when he as- about a cut of from 15 to 40 per cent serted the right to secede was in- in interest rates and helped thereby to herent in the Dominion's present sta- send the value of liberty bonds uptus. This would be good news, undoubt- ward. edly, to some of the Irish elements just

The greatest increase in market valat this time, but authorities as high as ue has been given to holders of the General Jan Smuts have cast doubt upfourth loan bonds. Of these, more on the validity of this dictum. than six billion dollars are outstanding. The rise in their quotations has

GOVERNMENT DIFFICULTIES. added about \$800.000,000 to their mar-

The new leader has found his posi-

tion has many weaknesses. His main

support is from the French Canadian

Catholics and he evidently senses the

leaders.

Christmas finds Canada in difficulty ket value since January 1. The next in the organization of her new Govern- main increase comes to the holders of ment The defeated Meighen Govern- bonds of the second loan, converted and ment is still in office and Mr. William unconverted. There the increase ap-Lyon King, the liberal leader, is still proximates \$364,000,000. Holders of uncertain about the character, and com- third loan bonds are \$325.000.000 betposition of his Cabinet. Mr. King is well known in the United States through his connection with the Rocke-vear. Holders of the first loan bonds feller Foundation and ihs work as an have benefited about \$40,000,000. industrial mediator during the war

DAN CUPID SHOWS BURST OF ACTION

After a period of discouragement alquite probable danger that at the next eged to be due to the new North Caroelection the Protestant elements will lina law requiring bride and groom to not be hard to mobilize against a govpresent health certificates when they ernment largely composed of Catholics. apply for marriage license in this State, So Mr. King has entered into negotia-Dan Cupid showed a burst of activity insofar as Mecklenburg county was conrarty for their support and has proposed cerned, Saturday, when seventeen maran alliance on the basis that a large riage licenses were issued by Register of Deeds W. M. Moore. The seventeen carried into effect and certain seats in is far in excess of the usual number isthe Cabinet allocated to progressive sued in one day or many days, but it does not bring the average for the But public opinion in the Province of month up to what it usually is just be-Quebec, which furnishes the chief fore Christmas, and especially up to the high record made in the Fall months when Camp Green was here.

The slump of marriage licenses since the new law went into effect requiring health certificates in this State is exapparently he aims at is the transforplained in Mecklenburg and other coun-ties adjoining the South Carolina line by the fact that many couples, rather now taking place may have important than face the red tape and the cost of results in determining the future course of Canadian politics. Among obtaining a health certificate, leave the "health" law in the lurch and go over other things they may well promote the into South Carolina to be married. Other North Carolina counties than Mecklenburg are making low marriage records for the same reason, it is explained.

The ten white couples who obtained marriage licenses Saturday at the register of deeds office here were John M. Russell and Nettle Hunter Bridges, J.

**CHURCH** TODAY

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All members of this organization extend, in this manner, their very best wishes for a completely happy Yuletide to each of the thousands many whose interest in Belk's has made for pleasant days through the year 1921.

The chief motive urging the progres-Earl Auten and J. Jessie De  $\operatorname{come}$ . sives to contemplate an alliance is the Charlie E. Bost and Essie McSwain, acute depression now prevailing in FIRST METHODIST PROTESTANT. Floyd P. McCall and Beulah Dunn, Colmany farming communities, especially lie G. Gibson and Bessie Carpenter, in the West. The seriousness of pres-Central avenue and Hawthorne Lane. Clyde C. Christenbury and Edna Daniel, ent conditions is without parallel. Not BELK BRDS Rev. George L. Curry, minister. Regu-Cecil H. Deese and Daisy Vanderberg, only are thousands of farmers unable lar services Sunday at 11 and 7:30 William Bock and Mae Garland to meet their obligations to the banks. Charles H. Porter and Hannah Jane o'clock. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock mortgage companies and storekeepers, Holland, Neal C. Hunter and Nellie tendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday but large numbers are unable to purwith Charles H. Daughtry as superin-May Simth. chase bare necessities of life. HINKA night at 8 o'clock. There were seven negro couples who A movement is now on foot to obtain eceived marriage license also on Sacur-Federal credits which will carry over CHURCH OF CHRIST (Disciples). day which made seventeen licenses isthe struggling farmers until the next Worshipping in Y. M. C. A. C. B. crop and the activities of the American sued for the day. "WE SELL IT FOR LESS-Mashburn, minister Sunday school 10 War Finance Corporation are cited as WEEKS GREETS THE ARMY. a. m., C. C. Thomas, superintendent. a precedent. Washington, Dec. 24 .-- Secretary of The Period Furniture Co. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Come. War Weeks tonight sent a Christmas CADILLAC PRICES REDUCED. A hearty welcome awaits you. greeting to American soldiers in every section of the globe. It was relayed Detroit, Dec. 24 .- A cut in price of FIRST REFORMED CHURCH. ten models of type 61 Cadillac motor by wireless to the troops along the East avenue and Myers street. Rev. car, ranging from a reduction of \$790 Rhine and in the Philippines and to 18 E. Fourth Phone 5024 Shuford Peeler, pastor. Sunday school on the touring car to \$940 on the su- army attaches in every Embassy. Tele-9:45 o'clock, with B. J. Summerrow as burban car, was announced by that graph wires carried it to every post in superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. company tonight. These prices are this country and, in some places, it was relayed to outposts by courier. effective as of January 1. and 7:30 p. m.