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Says Christianity Has No Time To Lose

Dr. Pinson, Addresses Methodists At Junaluska On Missions In The Orient

Lake Junaluska, August 2.—"For the purpose of this hour the Orient means China, Japan, Korea, and Siberia-Manchuria; in which Methodists occupy territory more than ten times as large as the state of Texas and involving areas composing half the population of the globe, and the largest single race of people, and the biggest block of white people on the planet, among these two are being wrought out two of the most colossal experiments in government ever undertaken. These experiments are already rocking the boat of international serenity."

This statement was made by Dr. W. W. Pinson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in the course of an address, "Missions in the Orient," before the School of Missions, in session here today.

"In this territory," Dr. Pinson continued, "is the melting pot of the Orient where at least three jealous and suspicious peoples watch each other with sleepless vigilance."

"Here the race problem is to be tried out on a gigantic scale."

"In short the Orient is a political watershed whence subtle and destructive contaminations threaten the world. It is vain hope for the peace or stable civilization of the world till it is underwritten by these undisciplined millions."

"It is around the basin of the Pacific and especially here in Eastern Asia that the stage is being set for the final act in the drama of civilization."

"There is no time to lose if Christianity is to play its part. Not Western Commerce, nor Western Science, nor Western learning but that religion which the East gave the West will make the world safe for them and for us."

"More than this came to me in my twenty thousand miles of travel last year. I saw the emergence of a background on which the Gospel message can be successfully projected. This background is the creation of fifty years of missionary effort. Into it has been wrought the fine influence of at least two generations of missionaries. I stood by the graves of our dead in the old cemetery in Shanghai, and was reminded that 'all are fighting with the graves of our dead for a broader work.' They sowed and we are reaping."

"We have created by our hospitals and schools—thousand points of contact; and cast up a highway of sympathy and good will. We are no longer aliens and strangers but accredited messengers of the 'Gospel News.'"

"I saw coming into being an indigenous self-conscious Christian church. We are no longer working alone for the non-Christian people. We are working 'with' a church native to the soil. This church is becoming self-supporting and self-propagating. They are undertaking missions of their own. The Korean church paid 84 per cent of its own support in 1922, and increased its giving 100 per cent. Vast strides are being made in this direction in China and Japan."

"These churches in Asia are evangelical. They are winning their own people. In one week in a series of sermons by American visitors in towns around the Island sea more than a hundred Japanese gave in their names as seekers of Christ. The work was done too through interpreters. A campaign is on in Japan to double the membership and fine results are being achieved. Recently in Changchow 600 converts were enrolled. Three thousand, six hundred and eighty-five soldiers in the army of General Feng were baptized in one day. And yet some do not believe in Pentecost. In Korea in the past two years 2500 new believers were enrolled by our workers alone. The work still goes on. More than 200 new groups were organized."

"In our Siberian Mission 1,000 members were added last year. And ninety new groups were organized. In spite of handicaps in that great field the work goes on."

AUGUST JURY LIST

Following is the jury list for the August term of Superior Court: R. R. Moss, M. L. Davis, W. S. Scott, J. T. Sawyer, Andrew Sanders, R. F. Mercer, W. N. Jones, S. B. Hagley, M. V. Perry, Wilson Brothers, D. S. Jones, S. B. Carter, A. C. Garrett, E. M. Cox, John Pendleton, V. B. Garrett, J. L. Davis, F. B. Whitehurst, Willie Knight, Charlie Garrett, R. L. Parker, G. A. White, W. L. Pritchard, Jr., E. S. Chesson, D. E. Sawyer, G. B. Davis, G. Phelps, H. W. Chappell, J. T. Garrett, W. C. Overman, W. W. Hollowell, W. B. Harris, S. M. Kirby, W. E. Ball, Seth E. Williams, J. T. McPherson, John Cartwright, W. L. Brothers, F. M. Grice, Geo. R. Barrow, J. P. Overman, W. S. Sexton, A. S. Daniels, W. L. Sexton, G. W. Copeland, J. B. Walston, R. W. Dewey, and J. J. Smithson.

UNIONS LOSING MEMBERS

London, August 2.—Trade unions in England have lost 314,502 members during the last year. This decrease is said to have resulted from the absorption by the government of some of the functions at one time performed by unions.

The funds of the unions have fallen from 254,266 pounds to 94,396 pounds and the annual revenue from 85,450 to 64,883 pounds.

Gelfand's Relish and Mayonnaise at all good grocers.



Out in Society

STOKELY-SORRELL

Miss Iva Bennette Sorrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sorrell of Norfolk and Mr. Harry Stokely, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stokely of this city, were married Wednesday night at Mr. Stokely's home on North Road street by Rev. H. E. Myers in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stokely will make their home at Charlotte, which is Mr. Stokely's headquarters as manager of the Tidewater District for R. T. French Company of Rochester, New York.

OWENS-COFFIELD

Miss Roberta Leigh Coffield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Coffield of this County, and Mr. Thomas Sanderlin Owens, of this city, were quietly married Thursday morning at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. D. S. Forehand, 306 W. Church street, by Dr. N. H. D. Wilson. The ring ceremony was used, and the marriage was witnessed by a small gathering of relatives and friends. The bride wore a travelling suit of midnight blue polart with accessories to match. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Owens left for their wedding trip. They will be at home here after August 15.

PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson and their guest, Miss Carrie Gattley, have returned from a visit to Mrs. Clay Foreman at Nags Head.

The Wilcoxon went down to Nags Head Thursday morning and will return on Friday when Mrs. Clay Foreman and Miss Margaret Foreman will return to Elizabeth City after an extended stay at Nags Head.

Mrs. T. T. Turner and daughter, Vivian, left Wednesday to visit relatives and friends at Norfolk.

Mrs. S. S. Leary has returned to her home on Pennsylvania Avenue after visiting Mrs. T. C. Jones, Jr., of Edenton.

Mrs. Biddie Albertson and daughter, Miss Mildred Albertson, have returned to Portsmouth after visiting the Misses Albertson on West Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thorpe and daughter, Miss Helen Thorpe, of Cherry street left Thursday morning to spend several weeks in Western North Carolina.

Mrs. W. H. Sanders, of First street, has as her guests this week her sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Roach of Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Foster, of Chapel Hill.

Troy Tiblett, of Manns Harbor, spent Tuesday here on business.

Ray Croft, of East Lake, left for home Tuesday morning after spending some time here.

John Daniels has returned from a visit to relatives at Wanchese.

Misses Edith Meekins and Blanche Hooper, of Stumpy Point, who have been spending several weeks here, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Collins and daughter, Shirley Mann, returned to their home at Norfolk Wednesday after spending several days as the guests of Mrs. A. C. Mann of Broad street.

J. H. Meggs of Colncock motored to the city on a business trip Wednesday.

Thomas J. West motored to Poplar Branch Wednesday to visit his aunt, Mrs. E. L. Hampton.

Mrs. E. M. Waller and children, Edgar and Owen, of Durham are visiting Mrs. Hodges Gallop on Cedar street.

B. D. Gallop of Harbinger returned home Tuesday, after visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Richardson, of Providence Township.

Miss Minnie Ferrell of Providence Township returned home Sunday after spending four weeks visiting friends at Rocky Mount.

Miss Pocahontas Edney of Norfolk has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edney, on North Road street.

Mrs. C. S. Sumner and daughter, Miss Mary Sumner, of Hertford returned home Thursday, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Newbold on West Fearing street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Newbold will leave Friday to spend the month of August visiting their sons, Henry C. Newbold at Sanford, and Herbert L. Newbold at Statesville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gregory and daughter, Miss Mary Gladden, have returned, after spending some time at Virginia Beach.

Miss Margaret White of Norfolk is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weeks on Martin street.

Tom Weeks of West Main street has returned from Baltimore, where he underwent an operation, and is very much better.

Miss Inez Geesh of Chapel Hill is the guest of Miss Hazel Hughes on

Miss West Better
 Relatives of Miss Ida West have received word that Miss West is much better and is able to sit up a little now. Miss West is at Stuart Circle Hospital, Richmond, where she has been since an automobile accident in which she had her skull fractured and seven ribs broken.

NEW CHICAGO TEMPLE AMONG TALLEST IN WORLD
 Chicago, August 2.—The New Chicago Temple built by the Methodist Episcopal church at a cost of \$3,100,000, located in Chicago's loop at the intersection of two of the busiest thoroughfares in the world, will be ready for its first official occupancy October 3, when the Rock River conference of Northern Illinois convenes. The total value of the building, one of the tallest churches in the world, and the ground on which it stands will figure nearly \$6,500,000.

The height of the structure from street to top of spire will be 556 feet, with 21 stories devoted to church and office use. The doors of the temple will be open to worshippers day and night.

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USE McPHERSON BROS. N. C. BUS LINE between Elizabeth City and Norfolk. Leaves 10:30 a. m. South-east Hotel. Call 577-J. Fare \$2.00. Jy.5-Aug.11-pd.

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