

Not Ballots But Bibles Need Of Mothers Today

Speaking to Greatest Week Night Crowd That Has Yet Heard Him Evangelist Moves Hearers to Tears in Plea for Christian Homes

People who have accepted, people who have rejected, and people who have been only confused by Evangelist M. F. Ham's theology all alike listened in rapt attention Thursday night to his sermon on "The Christian Home," and few indeed of the great audience of probably more than 4,000 who heard the sermon were there whose eyes were not wet before the close of the message.

It was the largest week night crowd that has yet heard the evangelist. Never except at the two Sunday night services at which he has spoken and the afternoon service of last Sunday have more people flocked to the Ham-Ramsay tabernacle than these eyes were not wet before the close of the message.

Over to the speaker's left also was a large delegation of the children of the city's schools and these too helped to swell the crowd that almost completely filled the auditorium of the big pine temple.

But the evangelist's topic and the growing interest in the man and his message would have made the crowd larger than usual without these special delegations. The evangelist's grip on the city is all that breathes. The revival is the topic of conversation wherever one goes, whether he drops in at the barber shop, stops for a magazine at the news stand or greets a friend at the soda fountain.

The barber at his chair, the salesman behind the counter, the executive at his desk, the workman at his bench and the laborer at his task are one and all thinking and talking religion.

A notable feature of last night's service was that of a request for prayer for a man who feared that he was losing his sight and had driven miles to be present to ask the prayers of the evangelist and his mother.

The musical program also was notable in that it consisted entirely of numbers called for by people in the audience.

Mr. Ham preached to a large congregation this morning on the subject, "Who is God." Tonight his topic will be "Way of Death" and he will take as his text, "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof is death."

Last night's sermon: The Bible falls into three divisions: Revelation, Dispensation and Exhortation. I want tonight to read a little practical exhortation given us in the Ephesian epistle.

"Husbands, love your wives even as Christ also loved the church and gave himself up for it. He that loveth his own wife loveth himself and let the wife see that she fear her husband."

BEANS AND PEAS ARE HURT BY FROST

May peas and snap beans, and especially the latter, are said to have suffered seriously as a result of the first killing frost of the autumn Thursday night. Only may peas blossoms are believed to have been killed; but the damage to beans may mount higher, as frost usually causes the bean to soften.

DOLAN WILL SUE ORGANIZED BALL

New York, Oct. 24.—Cory Dolan, former New York Giant coach, yesterday renewed his fight to clear himself of charges that he was implicated with Jimmy O'Connell in attempting to bribe Heinie Sand, Philadelphia shortstop. He announced that he would bring suit against Commissioner Landis and organized baseball.

THE PETTICOAT BRIGADE

Men, be respectable if you want your wife to recognize you as the head of your house. Don't be one of those little whining, backbones mollycoddles that is always saying, "I just can't control my family." That kind of a fellow ought to join the "Cottillion Club."

HOME A DIVINE INSTITUTION

The household is established by a divinely instituted institution—marriage. This relationship is typical of the character of God in marriage is united all the firmness and decision and ruggedness of the man with the tenderness and beauty and love of the female. Marriage is typical of Jesus who was the generic man, who combined in one man all that was admirable in man and all that was lovable in woman.

THE CURE FOR DIVORCE

It is lack of love that is filling our divorce courts today. It is useless to legislate against divorce. The divorce court is but the cemetery of dead love. It is too late to remedy conditions at the divorce court. The remedy must be applied before the union is ever contracted. If people don't love each other, there is no use trying to force them to live together. I am by that like Sam Jones was when he said:

THE CURE FOR DIVORCE

"Whom the Lord hath joined together will live together, but whom the devil hath joined together will beat the stuffing out of each other and you can't stop them."

THE CURE FOR DIVORCE

Give us the right sort of character in our boys and girls, give us boys and girls who have been properly reared and who approach the marriage relationship in seriousness and in prayer and you will remedy your divorce evil and that is your only hope. Give us the right sort of men and women and we will have happy and contented homes.

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Man is the head of the house, but remember man that the woman was not taken from her nor from your feet for you to trample upon her, but from your side for you to put the loving arm of protection and sustenance about her. Woman must recognize that man is the head of the household.

THE CURE FOR DIVORCE

"Wives be subject to your husbands." She must respect his position as the head of the house. I know that it is mighty hard for some of you to do. It is mighty hard for some of you women to respect that thing you got for he is not really respectable. But you should have considered that before you married him. Now the

GENERAL FENG IN CONTROL PEKING

Peking, Oct. 24.—Feng Yu Hsiang, the Christian general, was in control of the machinery of the central government of China today, after a spectacular surprise military move yesterday when his army returned from the north and took possession of the administration offices of the regime under the banner of which he was supposed to be fighting.

SECRETARY WALLACE IS REPORTED MUCH WORSE

Washington, Oct. 24.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace has suffered further complications from the operation he underwent last week for the removal of his appendix and his condition is reported as serious.

COTTON MARKET BREAKS

New York, Oct. 24.—Cotton today broke to 22.61 or 169 points due to issuance of notices for delivery of about 20,000 bales on October contracts. When trading ceased at noon the price had rebounded and was from 22.85 to 23.00.

MRS. LONG HEADS STATE DAUGHTERS

Rocky Mount, Oct. 24.—Mrs. J. Dolph Long of Graham was yesterday elected president of the North Carolina division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

DAVIS SAYS RECORD IS ELECTION ISSUE

Cleveland, Oct. 24.—John W. Davis, Democratic candidate for President, speaking here yesterday that the record of the Republican party is the issue of the presidential election.

MUNICIPAL DOCKS ARE IN PROSPECT

Municipal docks for Elizabeth City are in prospect as a result of the bidding in by the city of two hundred fifty-three feet of waterfront property with a depth of two hundred feet for a consideration of thirty thousand dollars.

COOLIDGE TALKS TO BUSINESS MEN

Washington, October 24.—The preservation of initiative and enterprise is "the primary thing which we have to do in our country," President Coolidge Thursday told the executive committee of the New York Business Men's Republican Association who called at the White House.

SHENANDOAH ON WAY BACK HOME

Port Worth, Oct. 24.—The delightful Shenandoah en route back to Lakehurst showed up here shortly after midnight.

FOUR MEN HANGED

Montreal, Oct. 24.—Four men at once today paid the penalty of the gallows in old Bordeaux jail for murder of Henry Cleroux, bank messenger, after robbery of the collection car of the Bank of Hochelaga last April.

ONE MAN DEAD IN MICHIGAN FIRE

Escanaba, Mich., Oct. 24.—One man was killed and \$125,000 damage done by fire that destroyed Chicago and Northwestern dock No. 3 here early today.

Had A Narrow Escape On Stormy Albemarle

Exhausted but happy to escape with their lives Highway Commission party relate harrowing experience when boat spring leak in gale

THE WEATHER

Mild and continued cool tonight. Moderately fresh north and north-west winds.

ROCKY MOUNT CONVENTION

Rocky Mount, Oct. 24.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy, in session here this week adjourned today after selecting Elizabeth City as their convention city for 1925.

DECLARES KINSEY IS UTTER FAILURE

Richmond, Oct. 24.—Commissioner Kinsey of the Virginia Dairy and Food Department has been found and found wanting and declared an utter failure by the members of those of us who are interested in the state's dairy industry to develop a program to step aside so that the state's trained and more experienced men may take his place.

BANDITS LEAVE VICTIM INSENSIBLE

Baltimore, Oct. 24.—Four armed bandits held up and robbed Joseph Roskinsky of \$2,900 in cash and \$1,800 in diamonds today in Washington Boulevard.

FULLBACK KILLED BY ELECTRIC WIRE

Madison, Wis., Oct. 24.—Herbert O. Opitz, full back on the University of Minnesota football team, was yesterday electrocuted while experimenting in the electric engineering department of the university.

THREE LIVES IS THE DEATH TOLL

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 24.—Three lives lost has been definitely established as the death toll of the explosion Wednesday in the Hart Mine. Eleven others escaped.

PUBLISH INCOME TAX RETURNS AT OWN RISK

Washington, Oct. 24.—The Department of Justice today served notice that pending careful examination of the statutes and final ruling newspapers which publish income tax returns will do so at their own risk. Commissioner Charles indicated that he regarded the publication as a violation of the law.

FATHER DISMOUNT COSTS YOUTH \$10; BE APPEALS

Fined \$10 and costs in recorder's court Friday morning for passing a pedestrian without dismounting. Instead of the usual lighter penalty because of his failure to dismount he had struck a child and bruised his head. Halbert Winslow, young son of Jethro Winslow, who lives on the Bright form, Parsons street extended, noted an appeal, and was required to give appeal bond in sum of \$100.

NO HAND PRACTICE

The Boys Band will not practice tonight at 6:30 as had been announced. Circumstances prevailing at the practice being held early tonight for the boys to attend the revival, so the practice is deferred until Tuesday night at 6:30.

COTTON MARKET

New York, Oct. 24.—Spot cotton closed quiet, Middling 23.35, a decline of 60 points. Futures, closing bid, Oct. 22.60, Dec. 22.70, Jan. 23.00, March 23.20, May 22.85.

New York, Oct. 24.—Cotton futures opened today at the following levels: Oct. 23.75, Dec. 23.75, Jan. 23.91, March 23.31, May 23.12.

and Hammar. With gasoline in an open container they made a light, but the fog failed to see them and left them to pass the boat. The boys and Hammar, who were on board the Jennie B., were off, and Hammar, who was on a passing tug in the distance, which they took to be the Arm