

CHURCH NOTICES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

A. S. Phelps, D. D., Minister

Sunday, December 17, 1922.
9:45 a. m. Bible School.
11 a. m. Morning Devotional Service. - Sermon Subject, "The Royal Law."
5 p. m. Mission Study Class.
6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m., Popular Evening Service. Sermon Subject, "The Divine Challenge. Special music by Miss Gwen Griffiths.
Wednesday, December 22, 8:00 p. m., Midweek meeting.

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Eneas B. Goodwin, Pastor

Sunday—
8:00 a. m. Mass and Sermon.
9:30 a. m. Bible Study.
10:00 a. m. High Mass and Sermon
8:00 p. m. Compline, Benediction Sermon.
Week Days—
8:00 a. m. Mass.
Saturday evenings—8:00 p. m. Benediction.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Library Hall

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Sunday Service at 11:00 a. m.
Subject: "Is the Universe, including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"
Wednesday evening Testimonial Meeting, 8:00 p. m.
Reading Room open Monday and Friday from 3 to 5 p. m.
The Public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit and use the reading room.

FIRST EVANGELICAL CHURCH "A Friendly Church"

Rev. J. Alfred Nansen, Minister

Sunday, December 17, 1922.
9:45 a. m., Bible school, thoroughly organized and carefully graded.
11:00 a. m., Morning Worship — Choir Anthem and Sermon.
3:00 p. m., Children's Hour.
6:45 p. m., Evangelical League.
7:30 p. m., Evening Service. Gospel singing and Sermon.
Prayer Service Wednesday evening at 7:45.
VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH OF EAST GROVE

Rev. J. C. Nansen, Pastor.

On account of the remodeling of the church building there will be no services at the church during the next few weeks. The Sunday school will meet at the homes of teachers of the various classes. There will also be a Sunday evening service in the homes. Each Sunday the place of meeting for the following week will be announced.
We cordially invite you to attend these meetings.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Gilbert H. Newland, Pastor

Sunday, December 17, 1922.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Leader, Marie Nielsen; Subject, "The Anticipated Christ."
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, 7:30 Boy Scouts, Arthur Taylor, Scoutmaster.
Wednesday, 7:45, Prayer Service.
Thursday, 8:00, Choir Rehearsal.
The choir is being augmented to thirty-five voices for the following Christmas Musical Festival. If you are not singing in any choir and it will not interfere with other church duties you will be welcome in this Christ Festival of Song.
Following is the program:

CHRISTMAS MUSIC FESTIVAL, 4:30 p. m., Sunday, December 24, at the First M. E. Church.
Program
Proclamation, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."
Anthem, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks."
Responsive Reading.
Offertory Doxology
Soprano Solo, "Rejoice Greatly" from "The Messiah" Handel
Hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"
Tenor Solo, "Comfort Ye" "Every Valley" from the "Messiah" Handel
Anthem, "There Were Shepherds." Christmas Message.
Anthem, "Sing O Heavens."
Hymn, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing."
Benediction.
Lillian Michel, Soprano; Cooper Lawley, Tenor; Marion Lower, Organist; Thelma Roe, Pianist; Thomas A. Pape, Director.
The roof is being put on the new organ room this week.

APOSTOLIC FAITH MISSION

Full Gospel. Justification. Sanctification. Divine Healing.
Baptism with the Holy Ghost according to Acts 2:4.
SERVICES:
Sunday—3 and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School—1:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Rev. J. H. Hays, Ch.

HARRY JENKINS ELECTED MASTER OF GROVE LODGE

1923 Officers to be Installed at a Special Meeting, Wednesday, December 27th.

D. Harry Jenkins, of Indianapolis avenue, was elected Master of Grove Lodge, No. 824, A. F. & A. M., at the annual meeting held in the Masonic hall last Friday night. The elected officers for the year 1923 will be as follows:
Harry Jenkins Master
Dennis Jenkins Senior Warden
Burr C. Downes Junior Warden
Geo. Prickett Treasurer
Fred E. Dowe Secretary
Arthur R. Whitehorn Senior Deacon
Fred Wildish Junior Deacon
L. A. Veroneau Senior Steward
John Bolsby Junior Steward

The reports of the secretary show that the lodge is in the best condition since its inception. It numbers on its rolls more than 350 members and the amount of work done is increasing each year, both in quantity and in quality.
The newly elected officers will be installed at a special meeting to be held Wednesday evening, December 27. Chas. Knoblauch, a Past Master of the lodge, will act as Installing Officer. R. C. Clark, of LaGrange, a Grand Lecturer of the order, and one of the best posted and best known Masons in this part of the country, will act as Installing Marshal.

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IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, December 17, 1922.
2:00 p. m., Sunday School. Rehearsal of Christmas program. All children must attend.
2:45 p. m., German Service.
Sunday's sermon will be based on the question that John's disciples addressed to Christ: "Art Thou He that should come, or do we look for another?" This is an all important question. Your soul's salvation depends upon it. What is your answer? Are YOU sure that Jesus is the Christ, the promised Messiah, the Savior of the world? If you are not certain come and hear this sermon. It will help to remove all doubts from your mind and make you sure of your salvation. Our services are still being held in the Congregational Church.
Sunday, December 24. Children's Christmas Service. A program will be rendered by the Sunday School and choir.

A. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rev. Hugh M. MacWhorter Priest-in-Charge

December 16, 1922, Saturday, 2:00 to 5:00 p. m., Bakery and Fancy Work sale under the auspices of the Womens Guild at the church.
December 17, 1922, 3rd Sunday in Advent.
7:30 a. m., Service omitted.
9:45 a. m., Church School.
11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer and Address.
5:00 p. m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. The Rev. H. B. Gwyn.
December 20, 1922, Wednesday — 7:30 p. m., Choir Rehearsal.
December 21, 1922, Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Church School and Christmas Festival.

S. J. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL (GROVE STREET) CHURCH

Sunday, December 17, 1922.
9:15 a. m., Sunday School.
10:30 a. m., Morning Worship.
Theme: "Serve Ye One Another."
7:30 p. m., Evening Worship — Theme: "Jesus and the Church."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Arnold H. Kehrl, Pastor

Bible school, 9:45. Bibles given away free.
Morning Service at 11:00. Topic, "Rewards of Service."
B. Y. P. U., 6:30.
Evangelistic Service, 7:30. Rev. C. E. Rodesiler, late pastor of the First Evangelical church, Owosso, Michigan will preach.

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS. COUNTY OF DuPAGE, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, January Term, A. D. 1923. GLADYS E. LUESSENHOP vs. WILLIAM E. LUESSENHOP. In Chancery Gen. No. 9426. Notice is hereby given to the said William E. Luessenhop, defendant, that the above named complainant has heretofore filed her bill of complaint against the said defendant in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court, against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of said DuPage County, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Wheaton, in said DuPage County, on the Second Monday of January A. D., 1923, as is by law required. Dated at Wheaton, Ill., this 17th day of November A. D., 1922. Lewis Ellsworth, Clerk. Chas. W. Hadley, Complainant's Attorney.

LOWER COMMODITY PRICES COMING IN LONG SWING DOWN

Good Bonds at the Present Price are Excellent Buys Says Roger W. Babson, Statistician.

Wellesley Hills, Mass., December 14, 1922. There has been much discussion of late as to whether bonds have reached the top. Roger W. Babson evidently thinks not. In discussing the situation today, he calls attention to the long swing bond cycle and appears to have a hundred and fifty years of financial history on his mind.

"The cheapest thing I know of today," says Mr. Babson, "is the promise of \$50 a year for the next twenty years, secured by a mortgage bond. Just now this \$50 will buy, perhaps, a suit of clothes. In 1920 it would have paid only for the coat and one armhole of the vest. We all can remember when it would have bought two suits, as good as the one it will buy now. Everybody is hoping for those old prices to come back. And nothing is more likely than that they will come back sometime within the next twenty years.

"Most of us, judging from our own experience, think of 1920 commodity prices as the 'high-for-all' time. What we do not realize is that prices have been as high three times before, at intervals of about fifty years and that between the peaks, each time, they have touched levels as low as in 1896. While earlier statistics have not been compiled, there is data enough to suggest that this same swing from high prices to low prices and back again, over long periods, might be traced far back into history.

"Prices turned at the same old peak in 1920. It is exactly in accord with past experience that there should be a short upward reaction, at this time, from the first sharp decline of last year. But, it would be against our economic history if prices did not show a long, slow trend towards a level that more nearly equalizes the buying power of agriculture with that of the manufacturing industry. The fact that the mass of people expect lower prices — of course, for the other fellow's goods — helps to bring them about. Psychology as a price factor may be more potent, under certain conditions, than the supply of gold.

"As prices of goods go down, the value of money goes up. That's only saying the same thing backwards. Then everyone who holds a contract agreeing to pay him a stipulated amount of money every year, like rent, or the interest on a bond, has something that is worth more, year after year. This holds now just as the opposite was true from 1914 to 1920. Then these same long-term bonds lost value because prices were rising sharply.

"I have endeavored above," continued Mr. Babson, "to state briefly and understandably the influences tending to cause what we know as the Major Bond Cycle—a fundamental movement which no investor can afford to ignore.

"This typical year-end market provides a wonderful opportunity for investors who have funds and faith in the United States. The lesson of the last few weeks again is, that no appraisal is accurate which neglects fundamentals. The same people who recognize the 'beginning of a bear market' last month are certain that things are going up today. But the fundamental situation has remained the same as three months ago. When everybody wishes to sell is the time that informed buyers carefully pick good bonds off the bargain counter."

Increasing stock market activity and Christmas buying have worked together to bring business up to a normal level. The index of the Babsonchart shows general activity exactly at the normal line. This is the highest point since September 1920. It is an encouraging sign according to Mr. Babson who expects activity to be slightly above normal for the next four to six weeks. Things will then let down a bit according to the Statistician and the foundation of fundamental conditions will be completed for the next period of prosperity.

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Our Boston Sherlock Holmes. Local Exchange—"The police found the footprints of apparently a tall man in the soil."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Few Really Useful. No one is useless in the world who lightens the burden of it for anyone else.—Charles Dickens.

"Drink Deep, or Touch Not." A little learning is a dangerous thing.—Pope.

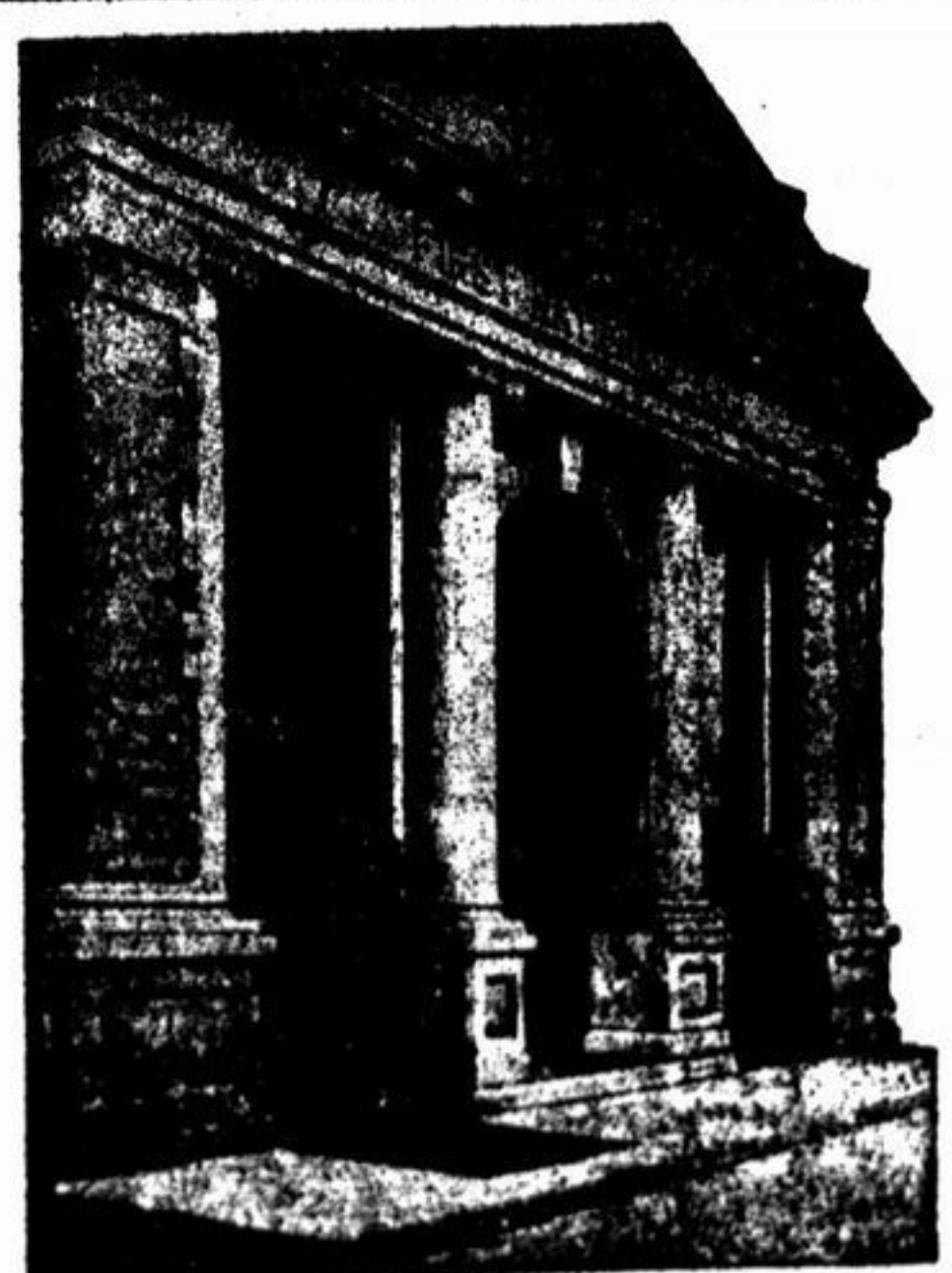
ZARN-LAUE

A quiet wedding was performed at the parsonage of St. Pauls Evangelical church in Grove street Wednesday afternoon when Miss Clara Zarn, daughter of Mr and Mrs Wm. Zarn, of 105 Rogers street, became the bride of Mr. Walter H. Laue. The Rev. Wm. Grotefeld, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony. The bridal pair were attended by Mr and Mrs Fred Henning as witnesses. Mr. Laue is the proprietor of the

Dairy in East Curtiss street and the happy couple will make their home in the pleasant living rooms above the store.

Ungrateful Italian Proverb. The purse must shed its contents to insure the continuance of the lady's smile.—Italian Proverb.

Figured Out. Jud Tunkins says a man can be happy if he has all the money he wants, only there isn't any such thing.—Washington Star.



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DON'T sit in a draft!
DON'T forget to wear rubbers in rain or snow!
DON'T expose yourself unduly in the sick room!

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