



IF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH EVER WAKES UP, LOOK OUT SATAN!—"BILLY" SUNDAY

And Now "The Episcopal Church is Awake" Says Dr. Stires, Eminent New York Divine.

"If the Episcopal Church ever wakes up—look out!!!"

Crouching grotesquely, his face close to the platform, shaking his fist in the direction of the nether regions, "Billy" Sunday, the Baseball evangelist, once hurled this warning to the Evil One, while thousands, crowded into a great tabernacle, watched.

"That moment is near—is here!"

This is the answer to "Billy" Sunday's implied challenge. It comes from the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, rector of St. Thomas' Church, Fifth Avenue, New York; and one of New York's most noted preachers. He is a member of the Joint Commission directing the Episcopal Nation-Wide Campaign, and director of the Every Name Campaign, in New York.

A campaign to raise \$62,000,000 in the Episcopal Church in one day—December 7; to recruit 1,500 new workers; to rouse every member to help the Church play its great part, greatly, in this age of reconstruction by expanding every phase of its activity in the next three years—upon this, which is the purpose of the Nation-Wide Campaign, Dr. Stires bases his answer to the evangelist.

In effect, Dr. Stires says to the world:

"The Episcopal Church is awake." "The Nation-Wide Campaign is urgent," says Dr. Stires, "because of the greatness of the need of this hour. I speak not of the missionary needs of the Church, but of the needs of all the world. The Church holds a position of power and influence. It must use its power to meet these needs. For the suffering, injustice and wrong of the past is still here today, crying out to us. Children are still being slain by cruel Herods."

"Roger W. Babson states that the labor problems of our time can only be



Photo by Paul Thompson
DR. ERNEST M. STIRES
Famous New York Rector

solved by the teachings and the spirit of Christ; that the need for America is not for more machinery in the organization of capital and industry, but for the spirit of true religion in the hearts of the people.

"The zero hour is here for us of the Church, the hour of the Nation-Wide Campaign"

VICTORY BUTTONS FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS

A limited supply of Victory Buttons has been received at the Navy Recruiting station, 608 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, for issue to men of the regular Navy and Naval Reserve Force who served on active duty between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, and have since been discharged from the Naval service.

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Victory Buttons are not issued from this office to former officers of the Navy, or officers and men of the Naval Reserve Force on active duty, Naval Reserve force on inactive duty.

STATE FIRE MARSHAL ISSUES TREE WARNING (Continued from Page 1)

tion should be permitted at public fetes, such as in schools and churches, where large numbers of children are present. Every home which is equipped with electricity should use electrical systems of lighting. They are just as attractive and effective, besides being safe. In case of public celebrations and where large trees are used, an expert electrician should be consulted so that the circuit will not be overloaded.

"For those who will use candles the following advice is given:

"Be sure to set trees firmly on an adequate base, so it will not tip.

"Place it a safe distance from lace curtains and other inflammable furnishings.

"Don't put cotton under the tree to resemble snow, nor on the tree itself. Use asbestos snow or mica.

"Discard festoons of ordinary tissue paper, celluloid ornaments, and all flimsy, combustible decorations, using only non-inflammable tinsel and ornaments.

"See that there is ample clearance about all candles and do not leave a lighted tree unwatched.

"Don't let children touch a lighted tree and don't remove presents until candles are extinguished. Clothing or presents might become ignited.

"Don't permit a draft of air to sway branches while tree is lighted.

"Everything should be done at Christmas time to safeguard the holiday joy, especially of the children, who are usually the innocent victims."

MANY USEFUL HINTS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS (Continued from Page 1)

Christmas advertising has enormously helped the "buy early" campaign. People generally believe in this idea, but you have to appeal to their own self interest to get them to act on it. When the newspapers begin advertising Christmas stuff, the public begins to get interested. The result is to distribute trade more evenly, to do it more efficiently, comfortably, and economically. It saves human wear and tear that is a damage to any business.

A lot of girls who are too proud to get their hands in the dishwasher at home, manage to get into a good deal of hot water in society.

O, no, don't hurry about buying your Christmas gifts. Just before the holiday there are always plenty of leftovers that other people have rejected.

No contempt of court is reported from the Connecticut city where two boys were sentenced to be soundly spanked.

These excitable coal miners who won't arbitrate will have abundant chance to cool off before the ground-hog makes his annual observations.

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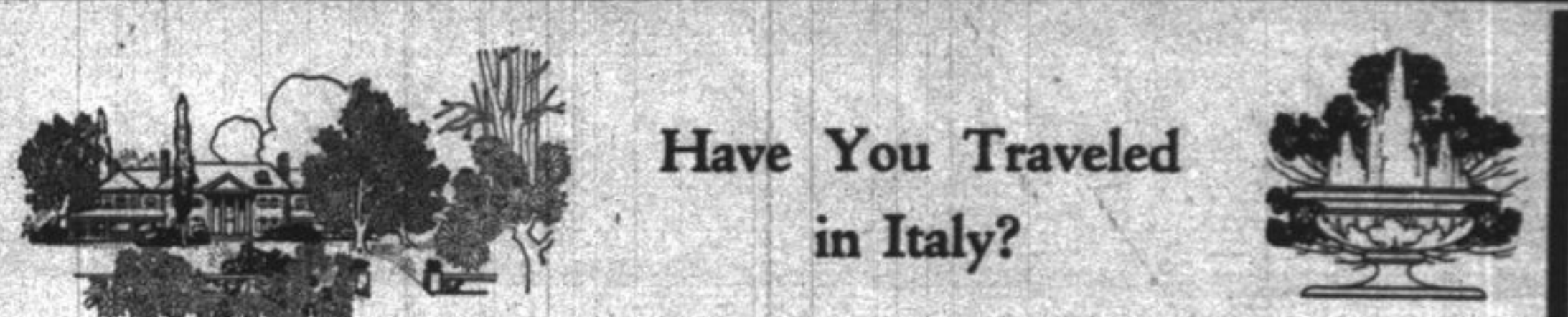
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You say the climate is different. That is true; but we have a great variety of trees, shrubs, evergreens, roses and other flowers which grow very well here. Even with the limited variety we have in this country you can make your home not only beautiful, but wonderful, in Italian styles.

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Won't you think it over? If you would like to beautify your grounds, call up Highland Park 523 now, and I will prepare a plan during the Winter. The work can then be done early next Spring. Bear in mind that a job of this kind well done never needs to be done again. You save money by having it done right.

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Japanese Hairdressers. The professional coiffeur for men is a much older occupation in Japan than that for women. There are records as far back as the thirteenth century of male hairdressers for men; for the samurai especially were very particular as to how the hair was done up, though as a profession the coiffeur was of somewhat later growth.

Good Law, for Germany. The Delbrueck law, which became effective in Germany early in 1914, provides for Germans retaining their allegiance to Germany while becoming citizens of the United States or any other country. In assuming the new citizenship a German subject, if it suits him, continues his German citizenship and allegiance in Germany according to this law.

Natural Question. Esther is an inquisitive little girl. One day I took her for a walk and every time we met anyone she would ask who it was. We were just passing a large apartment when a man drove up in a car. Esther immediately asked: "Who is that, Aunt Catherine? Is that the doctor?" I told her that it was. Then she said: "Who is he going to fix?"—Chicago Tribune.