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MISS MARY W. FOSS
CHURCH ASSISTANT
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Dec. 8, 1920.

Dear Friend:-

Our yearly greeting to you is due at this season and we would have you know that we miss you when you are away.

Through all the year we hope you have given thought and prayer to this your home church.

The past year in Plymouth has been full of effort to keep high our standards; and, in this interim between Dr. Kirby's withdrawal and Dr. MacHatton's coming, we have not relaxed our efforts but are working away and facing a future which looks promising for our church.

State Conference dues must be paid January first, hence we are again asking for the customary annual membership fee (minimum two dollars) from absentees and non-contributors to be sent in this month.

When making your remittance we hope you will say how the year has been with you. And we shall be glad to see you in your place here in the near future.

Most sincerely,

L. H. Grimes, Treas.

Chm. Pulpit Supply Com.

P. S. If there is time we shall speak of Congregational World Movement Emergency Fund.

A page of a life which God gives to you.

The record with which you this book shall fill, You are free to illustrate just as you will!

When the colophon's reached, will the pages tell Of tragedies sad of a ne'er-do-well.

Or will the eyes of the Master see Deeds done unto others as "unto me?"

At the end of the year, with a searching look, God comes to each one to reclaim his book,

And the record is placed - which we write ourselves - Till the judgment Day, on the Master's shelves.
----A. F. Caldwell.

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Plymouth Tidings

OCTOBER 24, 1920



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Alto—Miss Helen Marr Smith.
Tenor—Mr. Marshall Scott.
Bass—Mr. William Frith.

Morning Worship

Evening Service

11 A. M.

7:30 P. M.

Voluntary—Andante Seraphique (Debat-Ponsan).
Hymn 667.
Scripture Lesson.
Anthem—"Oh, Lord, How Manifold Are Thy Works"
(Barnaby), Plymouth Chorus.
Prayer.
Offertory—Solo, Mr. Scott.
Hymn 223.
Sermon.
Hymn 568.
Benediction.
Postlude—"Grand Choeur" (Lacroix).

Voluntary—"The Question," "The Answer" (Wohlstenholme).
Hymn 139.
Scripture Lesson.
Anthem—"He That Shall Endure," from "The Elijah."
Offertory—Quartet; selected.
Hymn 555.
Sermon.
Hymn 492.
Benediction.
Postlude—Postlude in C (Wohlstenholme).

Secretary; Mrs. Charles Porter, treasurer.
Boy Scouts—Charles Porter, scout master.

amount you can honestly afford to give on the enclosed card and return it in the stamped, addressed envelope.

If weekly payments are to be made we shall

PLYMOUTH DRAMATIC CIRCLE

PRESENTS

VAUDEVILLE

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 18

A A Little Bit of Melody.
North High Glee Club.

B Juvenile Impersonations. Mrs. Stanhope Fleming.
assisted by
Katherine Diehl Grace Staves
Katherine West Elizabeth Cole
Bertha West Barbara Jean LeVan
Marea Schenk Janice Murphy
Edith Pierce Hydeman at the piano.

C Laura Ellis, Director, presents The Colonial Glee Club.
(a) Dream of Love C. Zilbulka
(b) Spring Song Houseley
(c) Mighty Lak a Rose.
(Solo part sung by Lora Ladd Mills.)

D Strolling Gypsy Musicians in Musical Act.

E Playlet: "Suppressed Desires."
Des Moines University Players.
Directed by Laura Williamson.

F Madam Helen Ladd Warren, Grand Opera Star in
(a) Micaela (Aria from Carmen).
(b) Doll song (From Tales of Hoffman).

G Luther Ross Hugh Harter
(Iamaliar) (Soami)
Famous European mind readers in startling novelty.

H Hawaiian Quintet in Musical Act.

I Erdman and Wallace.
Sensation of the Season.
Clown Jugglers.

Business Mgr.; Dr. B. R. MacHatton, Club Advisor; Mrs. Russell R. Van
Tuyt, Dramatic Director; Miss Edna Rounds, Mistress of the Wardrobe;
Mr. L. F. Bradish, Stage Manager; Mrs. C. B. Fletcher, Musical Director.

Benediction
Organ Postlude—Postlude in F Wolstenholme

OUR WHITE GIFTS made a lot of people happy. There was a little money,
much food and clothing, besides books and toys. We received a blessing in
giving for the comfort and pleasure of others.

First Herald:— How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that
bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace, that bringeth

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PLYMOUTH DRAMATIC CIRCLE

PRESENTS

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Return of Christmas

A Play in One Act, by John Kendrick Bangs

CAST

andolph, a man of big business interests Burtis R. MacHatton
andolph, a society matron Mrs. Charles Rawson
Randolph, their daughter Margaret Wallace
Randolph, a regular boy Miles Murphy
odbridge, a proxy mother Caroline Kennedy
is, the butler O. W. Follett
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A luxuriously appointed drawing room in the Randolph mansion
New York.

Christmas Eve.

Furniture by courtesy of Iowa Furniture Company, 219 Walnut Street.

Shaowu, China

Bass—Mr. Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr.

THE FRISBIE CLUB will be entertained in the church parlors next Saturday
afternoon, January 14. Mrs. P. P. Laude, hostess, urges a large attendance.

Yours faithfully,
BURTIS RUSSELL MACHATTON.

Bass—Mr. Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr.

is receiving a hearty welcome to his city and home. It is a pleasure to have
him again in his place here.

MISSIONARY
Shaowu, China

Bass—Mr. Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr.

THE LADIES' AID is arranging for a Rummage Sale in N which you are asked to save and bring to them clothing which need as it will be of great use to others. A December woman in the church is asked to donate two

In a few weeks more all the different organizations connect life and effort of the church will be in full running order. The usefulness, and give themselves freely and gladly to it. Let there hangers-on amongst us, but let us all DO something for this insti we call "OURS."

To Mr. and Mrs. Amos C. Pearsall the friends in this church ex sympathy in the loss of their beautiful little daughter, Margaret

MEMORIAL SERVICES for Joseph Park MacHatton, who died October 5, 1918, while serving in the United States Marine Corps, Dunn's next Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. While this entirely unknown to us, we believe that he represented the manhood. And our deepest sympathy goes out to his father, ved pastor, and to his brother, Robert.

Dr. MacHatton, at this time, is suffering the deepest grief of asks that everyone meet him in the usual cordial manner and ref as possible, from referring to his great sorrow.

The summer vacation has brought our church treasury to a pleted condition. During the weeks that the church was closed, expenses had to be met as usual, while the source of supply was cut off. Every regular contributor is earnestly requested to make good arrears at the earliest possible date. Perhaps during the present we send a check to the church treasurer, Mr. L. M. Grimes, Plymouth. Let us all gladly share in the financial responsibilities which the n of our church involves.

VESPER SERVICES begin next Sunday afternoon at 4:30 social hour following Vespers will be most helpful to further and sociability especially among young people and the stranger Dr. MacHatton will tell us something about his recent trip abroad

record for them this year.

TO ALL OF MY PLYMOUTH PEOPLE:

I wish you to know how very grateful I am for the sympathy which you have shown for me, your pastor, during these

B. R. Mac

teacher. Many interesting discussions take place every Sunday. Morse is a sociological student of more than local reputation. I Glomset's class for younger men and women will take up the study "Teachings of Jesus." Former students are most enthusiastic about set as a leader in Bible Study. Miss Leila Wilson, General Secretary Young Womens' Christian Association, is today opening a class of women. This promises to be highly interesting and profitable and it many women who have not recently been in our church school will av selves of the opportunity for further Bible study under Miss Wilson's tion.

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can do nothing without your help.

Faithfully yours,
BURTIS R. M

proper place in all our worship.

DEACONS. Special mention was made of Mr. S. A. Merrill last Easter, and the Church voted to express their appreciation Mrs. Merrill and the family.

B. C. WARD, ONE OF IOWA'S NOTED PIONEERS, DIES

Was Leader in G. A. R., Masonic and Church Activities.

Byron C. Ward, pioneer Mason and G. A. R. official, died at his home, 1017 West Ninth street, last night at 8 o'clock. An attack of heart disease with complications incident to his advanced years—he was 83 last Nov. 28—caused his death.

Mr. Ward is survived by one sister, Mrs. Florence White, and two sisters in

Jericho, Vt.; one nephew, E. W. Henry, Underhill Center, Vt.; a cousin, Mrs. W. H. McHenry of Des Moines, and two sisters-in-law, Mrs. L. R. Ward of Des Moines and Mrs. W. S. Parker of Prairie City, Ia. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made. The family requests that flowers be omitted.

BYRON WARD.

Mr. Ward had lived in Iowa since 1869, a few years after he was discharged from the union army, with which he fought through the civil war.

Came to Iowa in 1869.

He and his wife came to Prairie City, where Mr. Ward was admitted to the bar and where he, for several years, published the Prairie City News. He was elected to the Twentieth general assembly from Jasper county.

After twenty-three years residence at Prairie City he came to Des Moines, where he continued the practice of law until recent years. He was named by the governor as a commissioner for Iowa to promote the national reunion of the union and the confederacy at Gettysburg in 1915.

The only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Herbert Clark Ward, died while a young man, while engaged in Y. M. C. A. work at Muscatine, and in honor of Herbert Clark Ward Grinnell college, his alma mater, named Ward field, the Grinnell stadium. Mrs. Ward died a few months after her son.

President of Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Ward was senior vice commander of the G. A. R. for Iowa in 1910, commander in 1914-15, and commander of the Iowa department of the Loyal Legion. He was prominent in securing the national Grand Army encampment for Des Moines in 1922.

Active in Crocker post and every Grand Army activity, Mr. Ward was in wide demand for Fourth of July and other patriotic addresses.

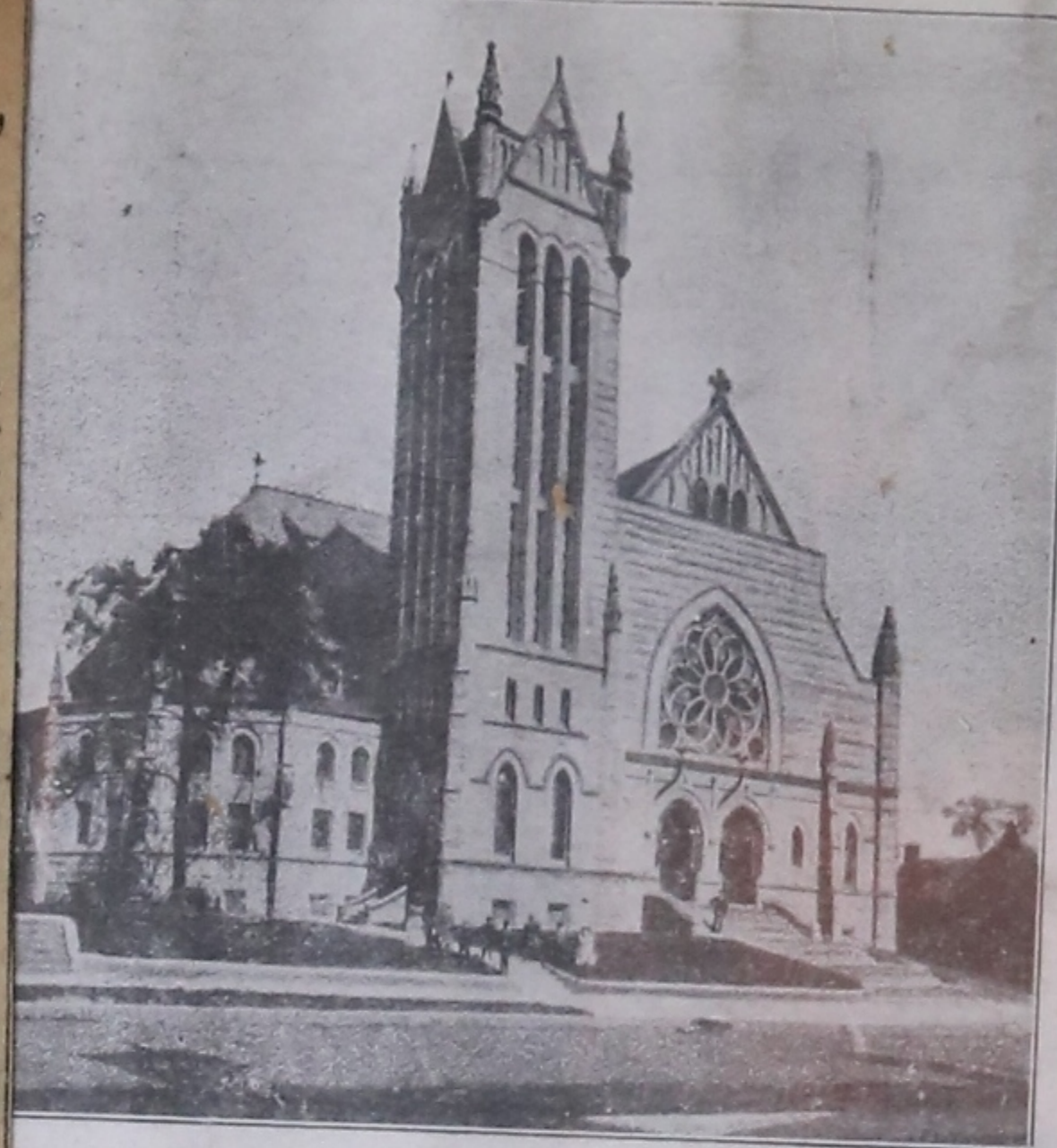
He was a devoted member of Plymouth Congregational church which he helped build and served for fifteen years as president of the Y. M. C. A. in the building of which he also took a conspicuous part. He served for thirteen years as president of the advisory board of Sunbeam mission. He was a liberal supporter of all civic and charitable enterprises.

Noted As an Orator.

Mr. Ward was a leader in York rite masonry, in the chapter of Royal Arch Masons, in the council of Royal and Select Masters and in the commandery of Knights Templar. He was in constant demand for addresses before these bodies. His address to the Knights Templar of Temple commandery on Christmas day, 1920, was declared to have been one of the most eloquent delivered before that body.

MOUTH TIDINGS

SEPTEMBER 25, 1921



Plymouth Congregational Church

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annual Meeting reports will be given from departments of work Officers please take notice that such reports are to be given copies made to file with the Secretary.

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ENTH—next Friday—is an important day. At four o'clock the Plymouth Women's Missionary Society will hold its Answering Meeting for Foreign Missions in the church parlors. It is chairman for the afternoon. Miss Leila Wilson, of the ll conduct the devotions and Mrs. E. E. Steffen is to speak our Thank Offering.

ature of the program is a playlet "Thanksgiving Ann," to be sdames Lew W. Lyons, James H. Lees, Carl M. Erdman and W. very woman is invited to be present at this meeting. Please

Those who desire to unite on confession of their faith will appointment before Wednesday noon.

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CHURCH NOTES

CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES next Sunday morning. The eleven o'clock service will be in charge of our school, children from all departments taking part in the program.

This promises to be an interesting occasion which should bring out all the parents and friends of the children.

NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 3:30, the minister of Plymouth is to deliver the Baccalaureate sermon for the North High School graduating class at North High School.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE for nurses graduating from our Iowa Congregational Hospital will be held here next Sunday evening, June 5th, at eight o'clock, Dr. MacHatton delivering the address.

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING is called for May 31st, Tuesday, at noon, in Parlor A, Savary Hotel. A full representation of the Boards is desired.

PLYMOUTH WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY will hold its June meeting at the church next Friday afternoon at three o'clock. With Mrs. Geo. W. Borgardus as leader, the following topics are to be presented: "Travels of the Book," "The Influence of the Book on the Nations," "The Leaves of the Tree." Hostesses, Mesdames Carl M. Erdman and E. W. Riddell. All women of this church and congregation are cordially invited to be present.

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN is part of Children's Day Service. Parents desiring to present children for christening next Sunday will please send names at once to Miss Foss.

NEW MEMBERS are to be received into this church on Communion Sunday, June 12th. Please send in your church letters and, also, names of those who desire to come on confession.

GRADUATING EXERCISES for Iowa Congregational Hospital will be held in Plymouth Church Wednesday, June 8th, at eight o'clock in the evening. Thirteen nurses, of whom we are very proud, are ready to enter upon service in the world.

OFFERING TODAY is for the China Famine Fund.

ON JUNE 3RD our Plymouth women are to serve a dinner to the Shriners.

LAMP LIGHTERS LEGION PICNIC—Mrs. Carl M. Erdman invites the children of the Legion to her home, 660 Sixteenth street, next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Please bring sandwiches for early lunch.

Memorial address at Dexter.

Benediction

Recessional Hymn 665

Organ Postlude—Torchlight March—Scotson Clark

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Custodian—E. D. Yingst.

and Creston; Mrs. Agnes Storey, 647 20th St.

Missionary Meeting & Picnic.

next Friday afternoon, Aug. 5, at Judge J. E. Mershon's, 3221 Forest Ave.

Meeting at four o'clock, Miss Elizabeth H. Morris, leader. Topics - "Economic Factors" "Co-operation".

A large number of Plymouth women should be present.

At 6:30 a picnic supper on the lawn with Mrs. M. T. Gilmore in charge. Each family please bring dishes and silver, sandwiches and one other dish of food.

Every Plymouth member and friend is invited. - That's you.

Mary W. Foss, Church Ass't.

PLYMOUTH TIDINGS

MAY 29, 1921



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WILL VISIT SON'S GRAVE

Returning - 7/6/21

Rev. MacHatton to Pilot Party Visiting Europe.

The Rev. Burtis R. MacHatton, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, left Tuesday night for New York City, where he will join his son, Robert, and a party of friends and will sail July 9 on the Cedric for a two months' tour of Europe. He will stop en route to visit his former church in Pittsburgh, Pa.

The party will motor through England and the lake region to Geneva, where they will visit the cathedral of St. Peter's, and then to the cathedral of St. John's, Portland, Oregon.

Dr. B. R. MacHatton, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, left Tuesday evening to conduct a party of eastern friends through Europe. He will visit his former church in Pittsburgh, Pa., en route to New York where he will join his son, Robert, and friends and sail July 9 on the Cedric. The tour will include a motor trip through England including the lake region to Edinburgh. After visiting the cathedrals in Norwich and Eli the party will go to Paris, the battlefields of France and conclude the two months' tour with a sojourn in Switzerland.

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BALLOT

FOR
Annual Meeting
OF
Plymouth Church

Friday, October 7, 1921

Constitution requires that two shall be nominated for each office.
Mark X after names of your candidates.

TRUSTEES

(Vote for three)

O. W. FOLLETT	[]
W. J. GOODWIN	[X]
J. W. JENNEY	[]
GEO. B. REX	[X]
C. N. PIERCE	[]
HARRY G. WALLACE	[X]
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DEACONS

(Vote for five)

H. D. CAMPBELL	[X]
J. M. GRAHAM	[X]
J. H. LEES	[X]
H. B. LEWIS	[]
E. L. MORSE	[]
CHAS. J. PORTER	[]
DR. GEO. ROYAL	[X]
DR. ERWIN SCHENK	[X]
B. C. STUBGEN	[]
J. A. WEST	[]
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TO FILL VACANCY

(Vote for one)

CHAS. D. FREEMAN	[]
BURKE HILLIS	[]
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CHURCH SCHOOL

(Vote for 5)

E. G. BREWER	[]
FLORENCE B. CLARK	[]
CARL M. ERDMAN	[X]
MARY W. FOSS	[X]
MRS. O. W. FOLLETT	[]
MRS. H. S. HASKINS	[]
MRS. J. H. LEES	[X]
MRS. LEW LYONS	[X]
MRS. CHAS. PORTER	[]
MISS EDNA ROUNDS	[X]
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CLERK

(Vote for one)

MRS. C. A. RAWSON	[X]
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MRS. W. E. WISSLER DIES AFTER ILLNESS OF SEVEN MONTHS

Mrs. W. E. Wissler, 36 years old, 5001 Country Club boulevard, died at 9:30 p. m. Saturday, after an illness of seven months. Mrs. Wissler was the only sister of Clyde L. Herring, of the Herring Motor company. Her husband is general manager of the company.

Funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Burtis Russell MacHatton, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, will have charge of the services. Interment will be at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Wissler was born in Jackson, Mich., and was married here twelve years ago. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Laura Helen, 4, and Clara Estelle, 7. She was a member of the Plymouth Congregational church and several women's clubs.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Herring, of Atlantic, Ia., have been at her bedside for several weeks. She underwent an operation for cancer of the stomach at Rochester, Minn., about five months ago, and it was thought for a time that the operation was successful as she showed temporary improvement.

Recently her condition had grown steadily worse, and all hope for her recovery was abandoned several weeks ago.

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Sincerely yours,

Frank Armstrong
Pres. Men's Club

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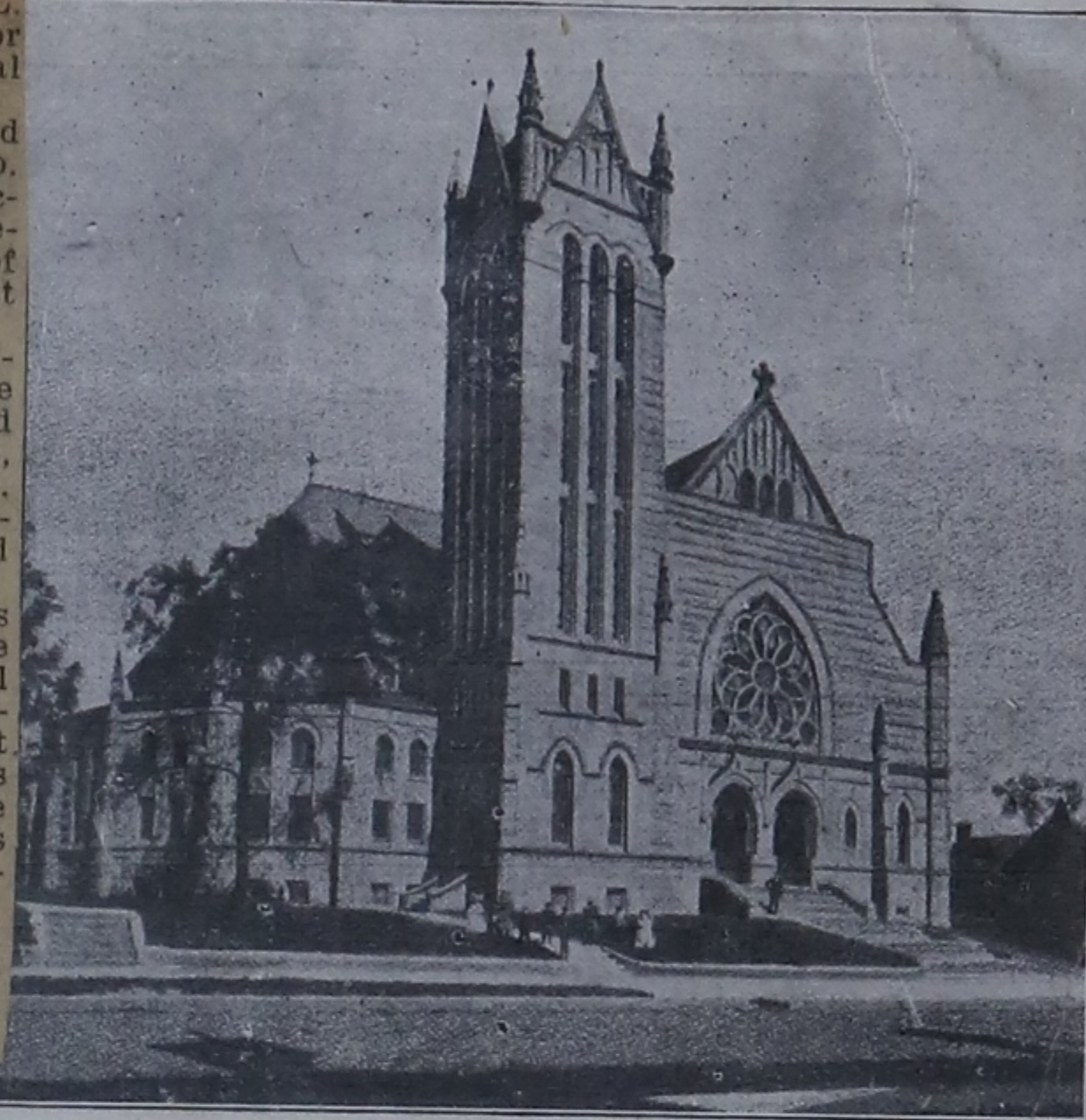
THE OFFERING this morning is for our hospital, of which we have every reason to be very proud. The report of the Conference Committee has been placed in our hands and will help in governing our minds as to the contribution we make. Why not have it a real gift to our Iowa Congregational Hospital?

PLYMOUTH DRAMATIC CIRCLE asks you to reserve Tuesday, October 25, for them and come to a reception here on that evening. Further announcements in daily papers and next Tidings.

CHURCH LETTER is requested by Mrs. J. O. Bailey to St. John's Community Church, Congregational, at St. John's, Portland, Oregon.

PLYMOUTH TIDINGS

OCTOBER 16, 1921



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Russell Van Tuyl of the North High faculty will be dramatic director and Mrs. Lew Lyons, president. Business of the club will be conducted by George Way Williams and Mrs. C. B. Fletcher will be its musical director.

The club plans to open its year with a large reception Oct. 25 in Plymouth church, where a dramatic room is to be fitted up and later a stage erected.

A serious study of the drama and short plays will be made this winter, with a presentation of a play every six weeks. Meetings will be held once a month with a social evening following the study. Several social evenings will be held by the club during the winter and its members will strive to make them community center meetings for young people of the city.

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ELECTION were elected: D Royal, J. M. G H. G. Wallace. W. Foss, Mrs. J Following this Royal, Junior I

With the opening of the fall church activities, Plymouth Congregational is instituting some interesting changes.

Mrs. Harry S. Haskins, 683 Polk boulevard, is the new superintendent of the primary department of the Sunday school. Miss Leila Wilson, the general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will direct the young Women's Bible class, which meets every Sunday at 8 o'clock. All women interested are invited to join the class.

The chorus is again under the supervision of Richard Spenser Pearce, Jr., and numbers about forty-five. The quartet consists of Mrs. George Lee Munn, Mrs. Russell R. Van Tuyl, Mr. Edgar R. Hearshman and Mrs. Richard Spenser Pearce, Jr.

In addition to the adult choir a junior chorus of boys and girls is being organized, which will be a feature of Sunday afternoon vespers. There is room in both choirs for other voices and those interested may apply through Mr. Pearce, or attend rehearsals, at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evenings for adults, and 9:30 o'clock Saturday evenings for juniors.

Churches should be and two delegates.

Annual dues of \$1.00 be brought to the me Registrar.

Those desiring ent Mary Foss, Plymouth on the Harvard Plan.

8:00—Address—The C

Joseph MacHatton Memorial Wednesday



JOSEPH PARK MACHATTON.

Memorial services for Joseph Park MacHatton, son of Dr. B. R. MacHatton, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, will be held at Dunn's funeral parlors, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Rev. J. P. Burling, pastor of Greenwood Congregational church and the Rev. Wayne L. Waters, pastor of Westland Park Congregational church will have charge of the service.

Joseph MacHatton was killed in battle on the French front Oct. 5, 1918. One year before the war broke out between Germany and the United States he went as a correspondent to London and was a member of the staff of the Times.

He was 17 years old when he was killed. He was a member of the Plymouth Congregational church and was a member of the Y. W. C. A. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and was a member of the Y. W. C. A. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and was a member of the Y. W. C. A.

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Sixth and Chestnut Streets

SEPTEMBER 17-23, 1921

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The Church, an Agency for Service, is most divine, when most practical in its service, at home or abroad.

Regular attendance! "Nothing Succeeds like Success" so let's start right in and make this the best Sunday School year in Plymouth's history.

We begin promptly at 10:00 A. M. Sunday, Sept. 11th.

Won't you help us to help your children by having them all on hand next Sunday morning?

Yours enthusiastically,

CARL M. ERDMAN,

Supt.

Plymouth Congregational Church

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A special patriotic concert will be given at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Plymouth church, the program having been arranged by Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr., leader of Plymouth chorus and quartet, and Mrs. C. B. Fletcher, conductor of the Plymouth church school orchestra as follows:
Organ prelude, Pomp and Circumstance
Miss Edith Ury
Orchestra, Inter Mezzo from "Cavalleria Rusticana".....Moscogni
Hymn, "Land of Mine".....MacDermid
Anthem, "Plymouth Chorus"
Responsive reading
Tenor solo, "When the Blue Star Turns to Gold".....Bryce
Mr. Hearshman
Scripture reading
Anthem, "The Heavens are Telling".....Haydn
Plymouth chorus
Prayer, response by choir
Anthem, "Evening Hymn".....Rheinberger
Plymouth chorus
Offertory, cello solo, "Evening Star" from "Tannhauser"
Kathry Fletcher with orchestra accompaniment
Hymn
Orchestra, "Songs of the Nations".....Lampe
Benediction
Organ postlude, postlude in B flat.....Wolstenholme
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such a big success we feel this Dramatic Circle will fill our needs.

We are asking no membership fee for the first year but are appealing to our good friends to help us. Will you please mail your check for \$ in the enclosed envelope, for which we shall be very grateful.

Assuring you of our appreciation of your help, we are,

Plymouth Dramatic Committee.

By Mrs. Lew. Lyons
President.

Plymouth Church - Nov. 29, 1921.

Dear Friend: Will you please tarry a moment in the front of the Church next Sunday after morning service, as I have something to say to you very important, relating to Plymouth Church activities and service.

Sincerely yours,

B.R. Machatton

Minister.

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IN preparation for the dramatic year at Plymouth Congregational church, the Plymouth Dramatic circle will present two short plays in walking rehearsal at 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, in the church parlors.

The first play will be "The Boy Will," a charming story of Shakespeare's youth written by Robert E. Rogers, president of the Boston Drama league, while still a student at Harvard. Miss Hazel Granger will read the leading feminine role of Ann Hathaway.

A comedy of English life, "Wurzle Flummery," by Alan Alexander Melne will be the second presentation. The play was first produced in this country in the Arts and Crafts theater in Detroit, and was recently acted by the Players of St. Louis. Judge J. E. Mereson will take the leading role of "Robert Crawshaw," a member of parliament.

Detlve Tillisch will give an informal talk upon the drama and how to appreciate a good play as a closing feature of the program.

Candy will be sold between acts by four young girls who will also serve as ushers.

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On Friday the 27th at eight P. M.
Plymouth is having a party
For all the young men
And all the young women, too,
Who come to Plymouth
So that means you.
We are going to have lots of fun
And something to eat
When the fun is done
And after that ----
Well, come and see
That is the only way
You will wiser be.
The 27th - Don't forget the date,
At Plymouth Church,
Now - don't be late!

Church Budget

Outstanding Obligations

Borrowed money.....\$14,000.00

Needs for 1922

(Based on expenditures for 1921)

For current expense, including salaries, music,
church school, operating expense, insurance,
etc.\$15,765.00
For interest and payment on indebtedness..... 2,500.00
For benevolence, including Congregational Hospital 2,650.00
Total required\$20,915.00

Contributions Required for 1922

Total required as above.....\$20,915.00
Estimated income from Sunday collections, rent of
church, Sunday School, etc..... 2,100.00
Balance, to be covered by regular contributions from
members and friends.....\$18,815.00

Total received during past twelve months from
pledges for all purposes including special pledges
for repairs\$11,928.43

(Please take notice that the above budget is about \$5,000 less than that
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Treasurer—Mrs. C. H. Morris.

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"Holiness," and "The Carver in Stone."
Orchestra—"Czardas" Michiels
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we have a most efficient corps of teachers and a fine organization. There were 215 here again last Sunday. We are looking forward to a larger and better school here than ever before in the history of our Church and can have it if everyone works and boosts to that end. If you are not in any school, come and be with us.

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PLYMOUTH TIDINGS

FEBRUARY 26, 1922



Plymouth Congregational Church

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IT IS TIME to send for your church letter and have it on file preparatory to uniting with this church at Easter. Promptness will be much appreciated.

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Subscription price is 35 cents a year. Please see Miss Genevieve Otis for this Club Rate.
FRISBIE CLUB meets with Mrs. F. D. Staves, 3650 Cottage Grove Avenue, next Saturday, February 25, at two-thirty in the afternoon.

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16, with Misses Edna and Mary Rounds, 708 16th Street.
COSTUME PARTY ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY. Everyone is invited to join in the plans of the Plymouth Dramatic Circle and Christian Endeavor Society to make this party a success. Guests are asked to dress in costume representing historic personages, great actors, or other notable characters.

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A congregational church and its mothers will be the honored guests at an Easter egg hunt Saturday morning at the Clyde L. Herring home.

Hostesses for the affair will be the following teachers, Mesdames George Bogardus, Hugh Harter, Lew Lyons, Clyde Herring, C. O. Hart, Chester Cogswell, Mrs. Carl Erdman, head of the music department, and Mrs. Harry Haskins, department superintendent.

Sixty children will enjoy the courtesy, which will serve also as a farewell party to Mrs. J. A. West, secretary of the department, and her two daughters, Catherine and Bertha, who are leaving soon for Cedar Rapids.

DIRECTOR

Dr. Burtis R. MacHatton, pastor of Plymouth church and an ardent student of William Shakespeare, will give his lecture on "Hamlet."

To Give Lecture
On Hamlet At Dinner

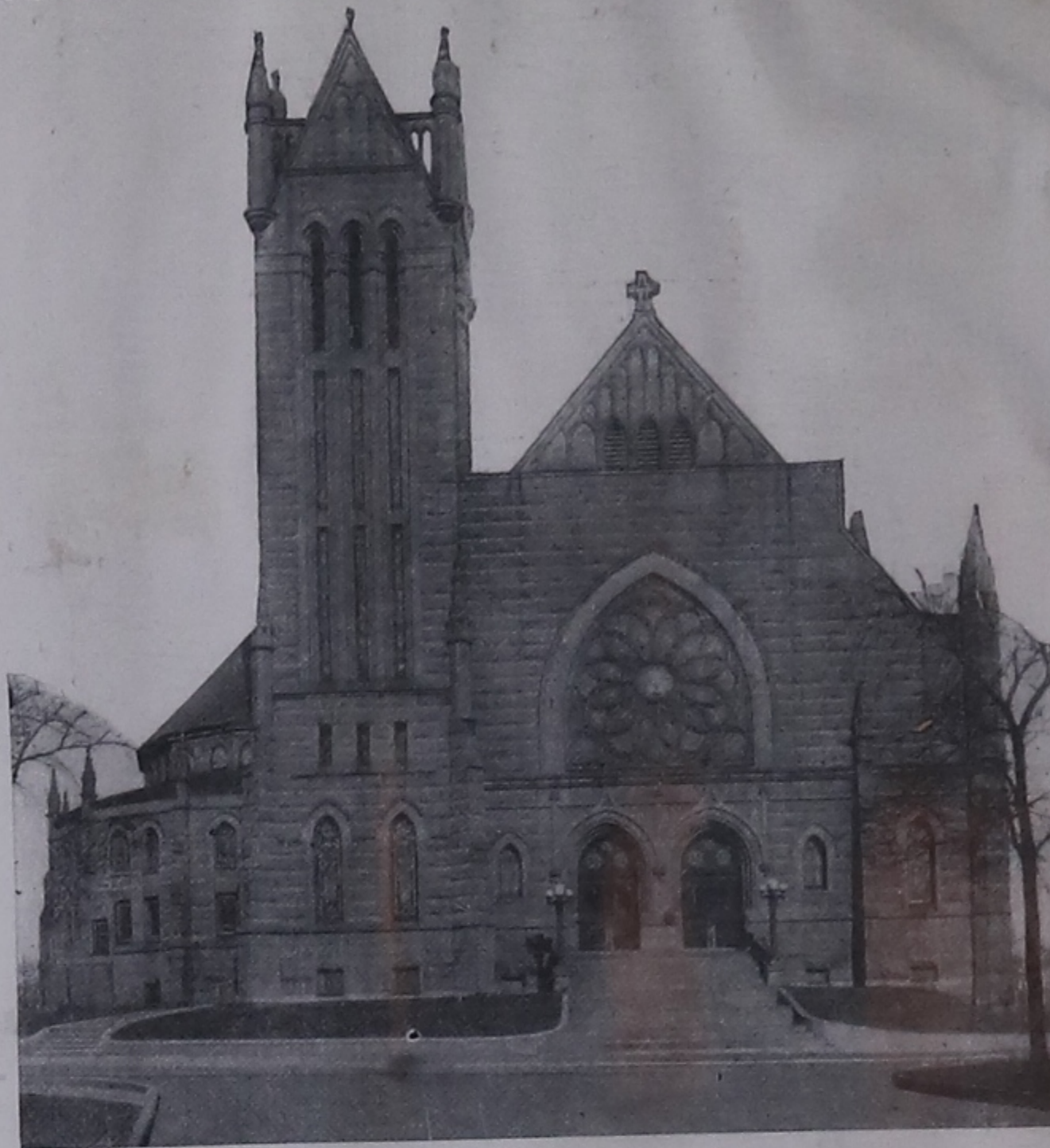
THE Des Moines Shakespeare society will hold its annual dinner on Saturday evening, April 22, in the ivory room at the Harris-Emery tearoom.

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An additional feature of the program will be the presentation of the closet scene from "Hamlet" by Mrs. Russell Van Tuyl and Mr. MacHatton.

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APRIL 9, 1922



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CHURCH LETTERS are requested by Mrs. C. A. Chambers and daughter, Wilma Chambers Ratcliffe, who wish to unite with Plymouth Church in Seattle, Washington.

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Resources; Miss Ruth Dewey, Chm. Dept. of Social Service.

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This is an Invitation

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Easter Service

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Plymouth Congregational Church

Eighth and Pleasant Streets

Sunday Morning at Eleven

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S. A. MERRILL.

Prominent local financier passed away in the west yesterday.

S. A. MERRILL OF
CITY SUCCUMBS
IN CALIFORNIA

Banker and Trustee of
College Dies Very
Suddenly.

S. A. Merrill, 65 years old, trustee of Grinnell college and a heavy stockholder in the Iowa National bank, died suddenly at Peninsula hospital at Palo Alto, Cal., at midnight Sunday, news dispatches received here from The Associated Press reported today.

Mrs. Merrill and a sister, Miss Anna Merrill, were at the bedside of the Des Moines man when he died. Friends in Des Moines did not know that he was ill.

Details in regard to the death are lacking, the only definite information being that he died very suddenly.

The Merrills have been spending their winters in California.

On Sept. 23, 1882, Mr. Merrill was married at Newton Center, Mass., to Miss Fannie Hyde.

Here Since 1872.

Mr. Merrill was born June 8, 1856, in Carroll county, N. H. He had lived in Des Moines since 1872, when he came here with his father, J. H. Merrill. The latter came here from McGregor, Ia., to aid his brother, Samuel Merrill, former governor of Iowa, and John Elliott, organize the Citizens National bank.

In 1879 S. A. Merrill graduated from Grinnell college and became associated with his father and uncle in the banking business, as vice president of the Citizens bank.

After a short time in the bank, Mr. Merrill left this work and became identified with the Security Loan and Trust company.

Three Sons Living.

The past twenty years, however, Mr. Merrill has not been engaged actively in business, although he attended meetings of the stockholders in the various companies in which he was interested.

Beside the wife and sister, there are three sons who survive Mr. Merrill. They are: L. J. Merrill, who lives in Oregon, Ed Merrill of Philadelphia and Russell D. Merrill of Seattle, Wash.

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Plymouth Church

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BURTIS RUSSELL MAC HATTON
MINISTER
OFFICE TEL. MARKET 1640
RES. TEL. MARKET 200

March 11, 1921.

Dear Fellow Worker:

The balance of your pledge made through Plymouth Church to the Inter-Church World Movement will become due on or before May 1st, 1921. The obligation of our denomination to the Inter-Church World Movement having been met the entire amount will go to the Congregational World Movement. You are also permitted to designate to which of the following objects your money shall go: American Board, American Missionary Association, Congregational Home Missionary Society, Congregational Church Building Society, Congregational Educational Society, Iowa Congregational Hospital, Sunday School Extension Society or Board of Ministerial Relief.

Our National Board has further authorized that of the amount paid before May 1st, 1921, one third will be credited to our apportionment for 1921.

If you fail, the work of the Kingdom for which Congregationalism is responsible in Iowa, in the rest of the country and in the uttermost parts of the earth, will fail in just the measure of your failure.

Please send your money to Miss Mary W. Foss, assistant treasurer, and designate the object for which you wish it expended.

Committee (George Royal.
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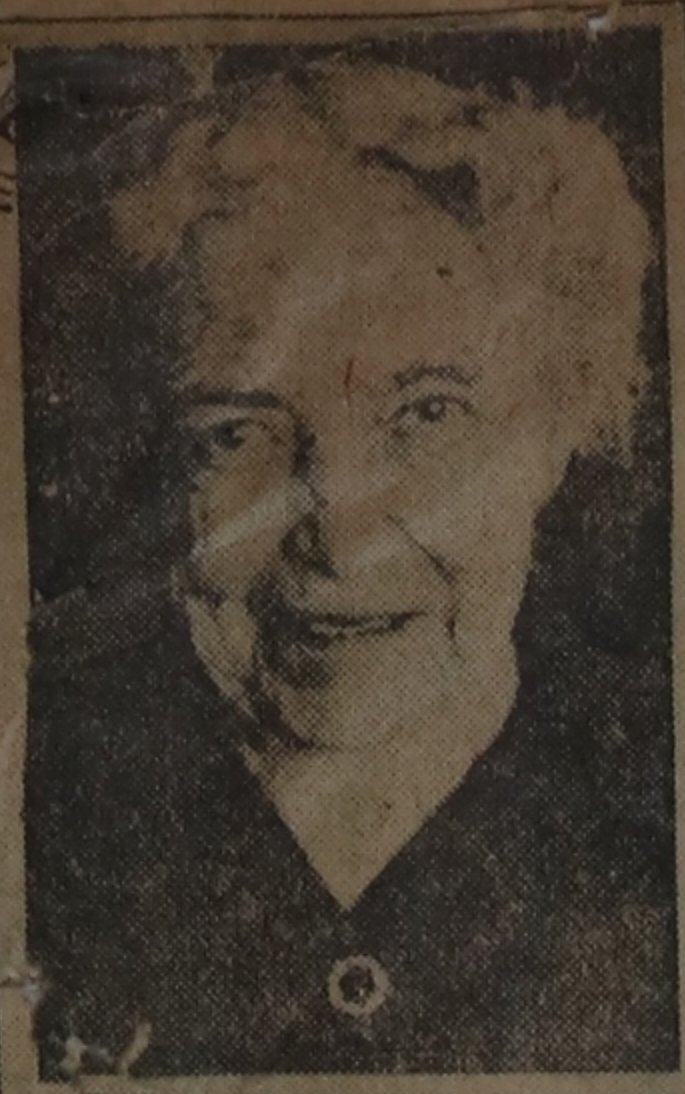
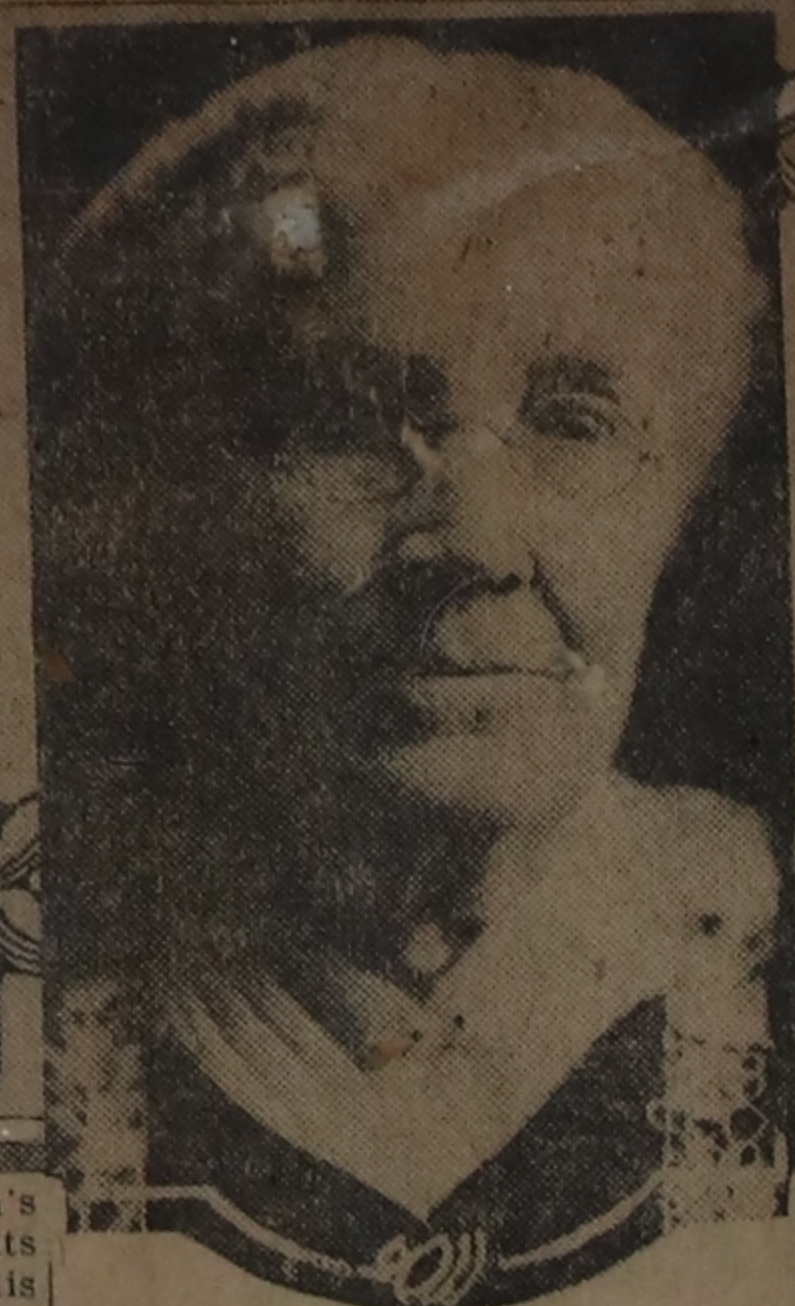
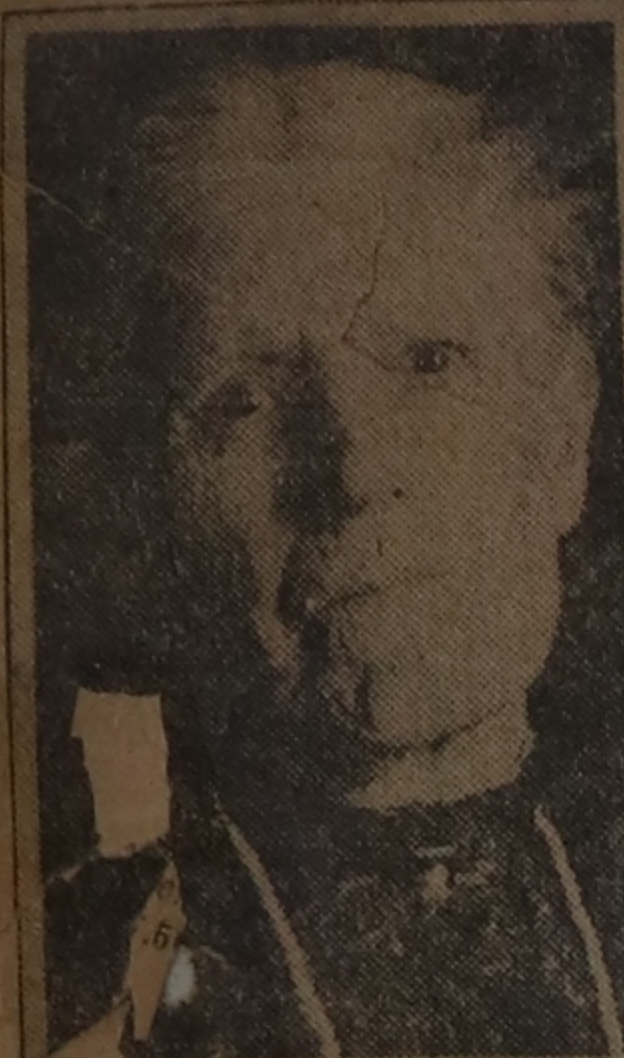
Congregational Church. Please save the date and plan to be here. Further notice will be given next Sunday.

of us to bring ourselves here at ten
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THE YOUNG MEN'S CLASS was addressed this morning by Mr. Sidney
say that "he is great" and gave them a talk which they will not soon
forget.
Other prominent business men are to speak to this Class on Sunday
mornings and we hope many pupils will avail themselves of the oppor-
tunity to hear them.

CHARTER MEMBERS OF PLYMOUTH CHURCH FULL FIFTY YEARS AGO, WILL BE PRESENT

Tribune April 1, 1921



LEFT TO RIGHT: MRS. W. W. PIERCE, MRS. L. V. SIBLEY AND MRS. J. F. ROLLINS.

church, and Mrs. W. W. Pierce, 75 years old; who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Elton Brewer, 1921 West Ninth street.

All three of these women, the

When the Plymouth Women's Missionary society meets for its anniversary celebration this noon, three women who were present when it was organized, 25 years ago, will be present.

They are Mrs. L. V. Sibley, who is 92 years old soon; Mrs. J. F. Rollins, 82 years old, of

Plymouth will celebrate its golden anniversary Friday at 3 o'clock at the church.

For the charter members who are present are Mrs. J. F. Rollins, L. V. Sibley and Mrs. W. W. Pierce. The event comes in connection with the Easter meeting. At that time the offering is for Home Missions.

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plymouth we know you will in every way possible.

With the liberty of mailing a description card for church envelopes for use each

This is an important that we feel it is a privilege it offers you to conscientiously afford aid in bringing in the

Adeline Club—Mrs. George W. Bogardus, president; Mrs. J. L. Martin, president; Mrs. Burk L. Hillis, secretary; Mrs. C. W. Jeffries, treasurer.

Frisbie Club—Mrs. E. W. Riddell, president; Mrs. R. O. Gresham, vice president; Miss Lulu Saberson, secretary; Mrs. Charles Porter, treasurer.

Boy Scouts—Paul Holloway, scout master.

Custodian—E. D. Yingst.

Days work. New members of our church are especially invited to attend their acquaintance. Every woman of the church and congregation is cordially invited for Friday afternoon.

Parsons, president; Mrs. G. H. Hill, Mrs. S. A. Merrill, Mrs. Perry, vice presidents; Miss Edna Rounds, secretary; Miss Belle Foss, treasurer; Mrs. Tyler Harding, assistant treasurer; Mrs. A. W. Cowles, current even; Mrs. M. T. Gilmore, social; Miss Mary E. Whitman, literature; Miss Gertrude Otis, Mrs. E. G. Brewer, Mrs. Geo. S. Murphy, program; Mrs. J. Callanan, Mrs. Geo. Royal, Mrs. W. R. Warfield, finance.

Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. J. W. Wickham president; Mrs. C. W. Nicklin and Mrs. W. R. Warfield, vice presidents; Mrs. E. W. Riddell, secretary; Mrs. Charles Porter, treasurer.

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Director D. E. PECK

Presents the

Brinnell College Glee Club

SEASON 1920-21



Program

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Hunter's Farewell Mendelssohn
Cavalier's Song Werrenrath
Glee Club

The Old Millwheel Neidlinger
Mr. Clovis and Club.

Avatina (violin and viola) Raff
Mr. Waugh, Mr. Peck

Death of Minnehaha W. B. Olds
Clovis, Waugh, Border, Peck

EVENING SERVICE

7:30 P. M.

Organ Prelude—"O Fillii" Gailmant

Hymn 80

Responsive Reading, Psalm 23, Page 7

Prayer—Response by the Choir

Offertory—Soprano Solo—"With Verdure Clad" Haydn
Mrs. George Lee Nunn

CANTATA

"The Holy City" A. R. Gaul

PART I

Contemplation

Introduction (Organ) Miss Usry

Chorus—

"No Shadows Yonder"

Solo—

"No Weeping Yonder"

Quartet—

"No Partings Yonder"

Chorus—

"No Wanting Yonder"

CHURCH NOTES

Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell will speak here.
Wednesday evening, at 7:30, special called meeting to discuss merger of Plymouth and Greenwood churches.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in this church, Sunday morning, April 3. We invite all who will to unite with us at that time. Those who have letters of dismissal from other churches should present them at once. Dr. Mac Hatton and the deacons will meet all who desire to come on confession of faith next Sunday morning at 10:30 in the pastor's study. Please send names to Miss Foss before Wednesday evening of this week in order that they may appear in the Tidings next Sunday.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

On Friday, April 1, the Plymouth Women's Missionary Society will meet at 3 o'clock in the church to celebrate their fiftieth anniversary. Charter members who expect to be present are Mesdames J. F. Rollins, L. V. Sibley, and W. W. Pierce. This unusual event comes in connection with the Easter meeting at which time the offering is for Home Missions. Miss Mary W. Foss is chairman for the afternoon and will bring an

Eighth and Pleasant Streets

DES MOINES, IOWA

Rev. BURTIS RUSSELL MacHATTON
Minister

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MISS MARY W. FOSS
Church Assistant

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Miss Edith Usry, Des Moines University, Organist.

Soprano—Mrs. George Lee Nunn.

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Mr. Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr.

CHURCHES CROWDED FOR EASTER OBSERVANCE

Thousands of Des Moines folk attended church yesterday in observance of Easter.



—Evening Tribune-News Photo.

A BIT PATHETIC. The passing of an old church is not without its pathos, even when it is to be succeeded by a magnificent new one. There are some heartaches incident to this work of destruction on the old Plymouth Congregational building at Eighth and Pleasant streets.

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Dear Friend:

Your Committee has decided that a determined effort must be made immediately to secure the subscriptions of those members of the Church who have not yet subscribed. Nearly one hundred and fifty such cards are in the hands of the teams and Committee.

A meeting will be held Wednesday evening at the Community House, 7:30. Come to this meeting and bring the subscription of every one of our members whose card you hold. Your cooperation is extremely important. Please take the time to see that we have the subscriptions from the cards of any of our members or contributors for which you are responsible.

Cordially yours,

Plymouth Campaign Committee

By

Charles E. Funder

Chairman.

Workers meeting 7:30 Friday evening at the Church House. Make as complete report as possible on your cards. Tell us what more you can do. Thank you for your interest.

Cordially yours,

Plymouth Campaign Committee

By

Charles E. Funder

Chairman

BREAK GROUND FOR PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Ground was broken at Forty-second street and Ingersoll avenue yesterday for the Plymouth Congregational church building. In the upper picture, Harry G. Wallace is presenting Dr. B. R. MacHatton with the spade to break the sod. Those in the background are, left to right: James L. Callanan, Miss Mary W. Foss, J. W. Wickham, George W. Williams, Harry B. Lewis, Charles E. Lynde, Dr. F. N. Ralston, W. P. Bair, D. D. Needham, F. M. Cline, Dr. A. B. Thompson, C. R. Thomas, and Howard Whitney. In the lower picture, Dr. MacHatton is lifting the first earth.



WILL CONDUCT SERVICE TODAY

\$475,000 Plant Occupies Entire Block.

Sixty-nine years ago ten charter members of Plymouth Congregational church gathered for worship in a little frame building on Court avenue near Fifth avenue.

Today 1,300 members of the same church will dedicate the new \$475,000 building at Forty-first street and Ingersoll avenue.

Dr. Ozora Stearns Davis, moderator of the Council of Congregational Churches in the United States, will preach the dedication sermon at the 11 a. m. service. Dr. B. R. MacHatton, pastor, will lead the dedication service, which will take the form of a responsive reading with the congregation.

Occupies Entire Block.

An unusual feature will be the reading of a greeting from Mrs. A. L. Frisbie, wife of a pioneer minister of the church who died about ten years ago. The Rev. Mr. Frisbie served Plymouth church for more than forty years, beginning his pastorate in 1871. Mrs. Frisbie expects to attend the services this morning.

The new church plant has been completed after nearly two years' construction work. It occupies the entire block on the south side of Ingersoll avenue between Forty-first and Forty-second streets.

The church proper is at the corner of Forty-first street, with the religious education building extending from the back of the church to Forty-second street where it joins the community house. All of the most modern ideas in church planning are included in the building, which has community and club rooms and a large gymnasium.

Three Churches Consolidated.

The present Plymouth church is made up of a consolidation of three Congregational groups—Plymouth, which was forced to abandon its former location at Eighth and Pleasant streets due to the opening of Eighth street, Greenwood and Waveland Park churches.

Dr. Davis will also speak at the vesper service at 4:30 p. m. today. He is being entertained during his stay in the city at the home of Gerard Nollen.

GROUND BROKEN BY MINISTER AT SITE OF CHURCH

Work on Edifice to Start Next Week.

Work will commence next week on the Sunday school rooms of the new Plymouth Congregational church and services may be held in the building by November, it was announced last night by Harry G. Wallace, chairman of the building committee.

Detailed plans for financing the project were presented to the congregation last night following the ceremony of breaking the sod. Dr. B. R. MacHatton, pastor of the church, turned the first shovelful of earth at the site, Forty-second street and Ingersoll avenue.

Present plans of the financial committee call for awarding the contract in three divisions. The first construction work will be on the Sunday school unit and the basement of the church building. This work will amount to \$180,000, which is already in the church treasury.

Will Let Contracts.

Within ninety days as the financial plans go forward, the contract will be awarded for the completion of the exterior of the church and ninety days from that time for the completion of the interior.

About \$190,000 was obtained from the sale of the old church and \$170,000 has been obtained in pledges. A drive will start immediately to raise additional five year pledges. The committee announced also last night that it would issue first mortgage bonds amounting to \$225,000, which will be paid with money from pledges.

The new Sunday school unit will be used for church services as soon as completed, according to the building committee. Five hundred people can be seated in the dining room, which will be used temporarily for the church services. Fifty classes can be accommodated in the Sunday school addition.

The new church is expected to be one of the finest in the city. It will be valued at \$450,000. With the community house, now built, it will cover the entire block between Forty-first and Forty-second streets, on the south side of Ingersoll avenue. Proudfoot, Rawson & Souers are the architects and Dougher, Rich & Woodburn are associate architects.

Two Churches Merged.

The new church represents the combined congregations of Plymouth Congregational church, formerly at Eighth and Pleasant streets, and Greenwood Congregational church, located on Thirty-fifth street, between Grand and Ingersoll avenues. The Greenwood church building is now housing church services each week. It will be abandoned in the fall, if the present building plans work out.

C. E. Lynde, chairman of the campaign committee, presented financial plans at the meeting last night. Harry G. Wallace is chairman of the building committee and Gerard Nollen is chairman of the finance committee.

CHURCHES CROWDED FOR EASTER OBSERVANCE

Thousands of Des Moines folk attended church yesterday in observance of the resurrection of Christ. In the upper picture Easter crowds are shown leaving the Plymouth Congregational church. Yesterday morning's service was the last to be held in the church. It is being torn down to make way for the Eighth street improvements. Church goers leaving St. Ambrose yesterday morning are shown in the lower picture.



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Ground was broken for the new church building. The sod was broken by the Rev. George W. W. M. Cline, Dr. A. B. Cline, and the first earth was laid.

April 28, 1925

MASS MEETING

At Hoyt Sherman Place Auditorium
Wednesday Evening at 7:30.

All members and friends of Plymouth Church are most cordially and urgently invited to attend a Mass Meeting on Wednesday evening, April 29th, at 7:30 o'clock at Hoyt Sherman Auditorium.

There will be NO solicitation of funds, but the plans for the new church and the financial program will be presented and explained.

Dr. Ozora S. Davis, president of Chicago Theological Seminary and one of the outstanding men of the Congregational Church in America, will be the chief speaker. Come and enjoy with us the real treat of hearing Dr. Davis. Learn all about the proposed plans and program for Plymouth--a great Church and community enterprise in the most rapidly-growing section of Des Moines.

We especially urge that you let nothing interfere with attending this interesting and important meeting. All members of Plymouth are doubly urged to bring friends who are not affiliated with other churches.

Let's make it a great rallying time--an occasion which will suitably inaugurate the larger program upon which old Plymouth and Greenwood are gloriously united!

Cordially yours,

Charles E. Fennell
Chairman Campaign Committee.

Be there promptly at 7:30--do your part in making this meeting a wonderful success - bring several friends with you - telephone others - help us insure a great audience for Dr. Davis.

Dr. MacHatton will preach next Sunday on "The Value of a Community Church".

Dr. Davis will give a vesper service at 4:30 p. m. today. He is being entertained during his stay in the city at the home of Gerard Nollen.

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CLERK—Mrs. C. A. Rawson.

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You Are Invited

to the Annual Meeting and Dinner of Plymouth Congregational Church next Friday, October 8, at 6:15 in Community House, 4126 Ingersoll Ave.

Telephone reservations to Drake 822 upon receipt of this card, please.

You will enjoy a good dinner and hear splendid reports of Plymouth organizations.

B. H. Quick, Pres. Trustees.

LADY BROTHERS—E. H. Huntington, President; Margaret Campbell, Vice-President; Marea Schenk, Secretary; Virginia Colladay, Treasurer.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR—Clayton Thompson, President; Harley Stipp, Jr., Vice-President; Virginia Ralston, Secretary; Tom Bannister, Treasurer; Robert Goodwin, Hugh D. Rogers, Gertrude Bolton, Advisors.

SCOUT MASTER—Hugh D. Rogers.

CHURCH NOTES

PLYMOUTH CHURCH SCHOOL starts Fall quarter most auspiciously with full quota of 47 officers and teachers and all classes large with enthusiastic pupils. The Bair class and Ross class have unusual attendance and interested groups. New pupils of all ages may be provided for. Let everybody come.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR at seven o'clock this evening will be led by Robert

PLYMOUTH BALLOT

Election of Officers

FOR

Annual Meeting

OF

Plymouth Church

Friday, October 9, 1925

Constitution requires that two shall be nominated for each office.

Mark (X) after names of your candidates.

TRUSTEES

Term expiring 1928

(Vote for three)

W. P. BAIR	[]
R. J. BANNISTER	[]
J. L. CALLANAN	[X]
L. M. GRIMES	[]
G. S. NOLLEN	[X]
A. C. PEARSALL	[X]
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Term expiring 1928

(Vote for seven)

H. A. BRYAN	[X]
F. M. CLINE	[]
R. B. DENNIS	[]
J. E. GOODWIN	[X]
W. A. HOUSE	[]
H. B. LEWIS	[X]
D. D. NEEDHAM	[X]
J. B. RAYN	[]
E. C. REA	[]
C. A. SPAULDING	[]
C. M. SPENCER	[]
H. T. STEEPER	[X]
G. W. WEBBER	[X]
H. N. WHITNEY	[X]

CHURCH SCHOOL

(Vote for five)

FRANK ARMSTRONG	[X]
MRS. G. W. BOGARDUS	[X]
MRS. E. G. BREWER	[]
A. L. DUNLAP	[]
MARY W. FOSS	[X]
MRS. W. A. HOUSE	[]
MRS. G. A. KRAETSCH	[X]
MRS. C. E. LYNDE	[X]
MRS. L. W. LYONS	[]
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NEW CHURCH CONSTRUCTION. Two views of the excavation work for the new Plymouth Congregational church which is to be erected on Ingersoll avenue between Forty-first and Forty-second streets. —Schwartz, Evening Tribune Photo.

June 6, 1926

Plymouth Congregational Church

THIRTY-FIFTH STREET
BETWEEN GRAND AND INGERSOLL AVENUES
DES MOINES, IOWA

Whoever thou art that enterest this Church,
Remember it is the House of God
Be silent, be thoughtful, be reverent,
Leave it not without a prayer for thyself
and for those who worship and minister here.

Minister: Miss Fannie J. Kingsbury, Leader of Mission Study; Mrs. George Royal, Club Mother.

ADELPHI CLUB—Mrs. Harry M. Harris, President; Mrs. A. C. Page, Vice-president; Miss Mae C. Anders, Sec'y.; Mrs. H. Mark Richards, Treasurer.

FRISBIE CLUB—Mrs. A. H. Snyder, President; Mrs. W. M. Colladay, Vice-president; Mrs. E. T. Eldridge, Secretary; Mrs. Chas. J. Porter, Treasurer.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORUM—Betty Fay, President; John Phillips, Vice-president; Alice Bolton, Secretary-Treasurer; Dr. B. R. MacHatton and Paul W. Somers, Advisors.

LAMPLIGHTERS LEGION—Lorene Sterling and Mrs. Henry Kuebker, leaders; Marian Brewer, President; Margaret Campbell, Vice-president; Marea Schenk, Secretary; Virginia Colladay, Treasurer.

INTERMEDIATE C. E.—Reed Capps, President; Junior Haskins, Vice-president; Margaret Camp, Secretary-Treasurer; Robert Goodwin, Hugh D. Rogers, Gertrude Bolton, Advisors.

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Rev. BURTIS RUSSELL MacHATTON
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MISS MARY W. FOSS
Church Assistant
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Organist—Miss Edith M. Usry.

Soprano—Miss Myrtle Williams.

Contralto—Mrs. Russell R. Van Tuyl.

Tenor—Mr. Edgar R. Hearshman.

Bass—Mr. Richard Spencer Pearce, Jr.

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Plymouth Church Wrecking Work Nearly Finished

The work of wrecking Plymouth Congregational church is nearly finished. Workmen have been engaged for several weeks in tearing down the church structure to make room for the extension and improvement of Eighth street through to Keosauqua way. The picture shows the progress that has been made. It is thought by the end of the week the former church property will be entirely cleared.



—Evening Tribune-News Photo.
BEAUTIFUL WINDOW. One of the beautiful windows in the Plymouth Congregational church building at Eighth and Pleasant streets. The church is being wrecked.

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Plymouth Church invites you and your friends to attend two services in honor of the new missionary, Miss Alice Murphy. Service of Commission and Consecration is at eleven o'clock Sabbath morning in the church. Afternoon Tea is Monday at three in Community House.

BURTIS RUSSELL MACHATTON
MINISTER
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—Evening Tribune-News Photo.
FAST WORK. The work of wrecking the Plymouth Congregational church is proceeding rapidly. This picture shows progress made on the job.

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Office Phone: Drake 822
Residence Phone: Drake 8885

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TO GIVE EXHIBITION. An exhibition of the activities of the Plymouth Congregational church vacation Bible school will be held at Greenwood church, between Grand and Ingersoll avenues on Thirty-fifth street tonight. The public is invited. Picture shows the Bible school group with some of the pupils in costume.



DIGGING THROUGH EIGHTH STREET. The beginning of grading down Eighth street from the Keosauqua way end.

BURTIS RUSSELL MACHATTON
MINISTER
OFFICE TEL. DRAKE 822

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About 50 children enjoyed the work under excellently trained teachers.

Expenses to our Church amounted to a little more than \$200.00 for the three weeks. Some of the families voluntarily paid up to five dollars for each child in the school. That was entirely voluntary, however, as no tuition was charged this year.

The bills are paid. But other voluntary gifts would help fill a gap in the account.

Very truly,
A. Leo Dunlap,
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week from Wednesday

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Election of Officers FOR Annual Meeting OF PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Thursday, October 18, 1928

Constitution requires that two shall be nominated for each office.
Mark (X) after names of your candidates.

TRUSTEES

Term expiring 1931
(Vote for three) *selected*

J. L. CALLANAN	[X]
GEO. S. MURPHY	[]
G. S. NOLLEN	[X]
JOHN B. RAYN	[]
FERD. SCHMIDT	[]
H. T. STEEPER	[X]

DEACONS

Term expiring 1931
(Vote for seven)

A. H. ALEXANDER	[]
THOMAS M. BOWEN	[X]
LESLIE R. FRENCH	[]
W. R. GOODENOUGH	[]
JAMES E. GOODWIN	[X]
HENRY J. KROEGER	[]
DR. P. P. LAUDE	[]
F. G. REDFIELD	[X]
C. A. SPAULDING	[X]
HUGH H. TOLMAN	[]
N. A. WINTER	[X]
E. E. WISSLER	[X]
PIERCE WITMER	[X]
FRANK H. ZEH	[]

CHURCH SCHOOL

(Vote for five)

MRS. J. M. CUSHMAN	[X]
MRS. SAM ELBERT	[]
MRS. ROBERT HENDERSON	[X]
MRS. GEO. A. KRAETSCH	[X]
MRS. JOHN B. RAYN	[X]
DR. ERWIN SCHENK	[]
C. F. SCHROPP	[]
CARSON L. TAYLOR	[X]
GEO. W. WEBBER	[]
PIERCE WITMER	[]

CLERK

(Vote for one)

MRS. C. A. RAWSON	[X]
MRS. GEO. SIMPSON	[]

A CONFERENCE ON WORSHIP is to be held in October 30, with Rev. F. L. Fagley, Executive Secretarial Commission on Evangelism and Devotional has sent a special invitation to all Congregation Many are coming for that day and all interested m are invited to be here to enjoy the interesting Please remember it's October 30.

FOR YOUR EARLY INFORMATION—The followi selected by the Nominating Committee to be voted Trustees—J. L. Callanan, Geo. S. Murphy, G. S. 1 Ferd. Schmidt, H. T. Steeper; Deacons—A. H. A Bowen, Leslie R. French, W. R. Goodenough, Jame J. Kroeger, Dr. P. P. Laude, F. G. Redfield, C. A. Sp man, N. A. Winter, E. E. Wissler, Pierce Witmer, 1 School Board—Mrs. J. M. Cushman, Mrs. Sam Elb derson, Mrs. Geo. A. Kraetsch, Mrs. John B. Ray C. F. Schropp, Carson L. Taylor, Geo. W. Webber, F Clerk—Mrs. C. A. Rawson, Mrs. George Simpson.

"SHANNONS OF BROADWAY" is the title of the cl which will be shown at the President Theater on T 23, for which date Plymouth Young People have t as a Young Peoples Benefit. Tickets range in pric one dollar. This is an opportunity for our young pe sum of money. Please co-operate by buying ticke asked to buy, phone to James Roberts, Drake 445 Ticket Committee, or to the Church office, Drake 8:

MISS DOAN LEADS—The Religious Education Dep Church is pleased to announce that Miss Effie Doan Service has agreed to lead the Adult Class formerly Ross. Miss Doan spoke last Sunday on the them Social Worker." All former members and other ac tend are invited to come for this class which mee parlor of the Community House.

COLLEGE AGE GROUP—Our long talked of colleg small beginning last Sunday morning. Mrs. Bruce of the Young Peoples Committee of the Women's Committee, planned to telephone this week to eac young people whose names we have. Mr. and Mrs will lead this group which ought to become a vital peoples work of Plymouth Church.

CHURCH SCHOOL GROWS—Plymouth Church Scho tendance of the Fall last Sunday. The departments ganized now and, with but few exceptions, classe teachers. Pupils have been responding nicely to the text-books. Larger offerings are needed, however, deficit in our Missionary Budget. The average offe was slightly more than three cents. Parents may no cases, money which was started to Sunday School go instead. Ask Johnnie or Susie about it. We need clo the parents of our church school pupils.

Which of Thee the prophets sing.
Jubilate, Amen.

The Hymn 321—"How Firm a Foundation"

THE POSTLUDE

(The asterisk indicates intervals when late-comers

The Postlude—"Tostoso"

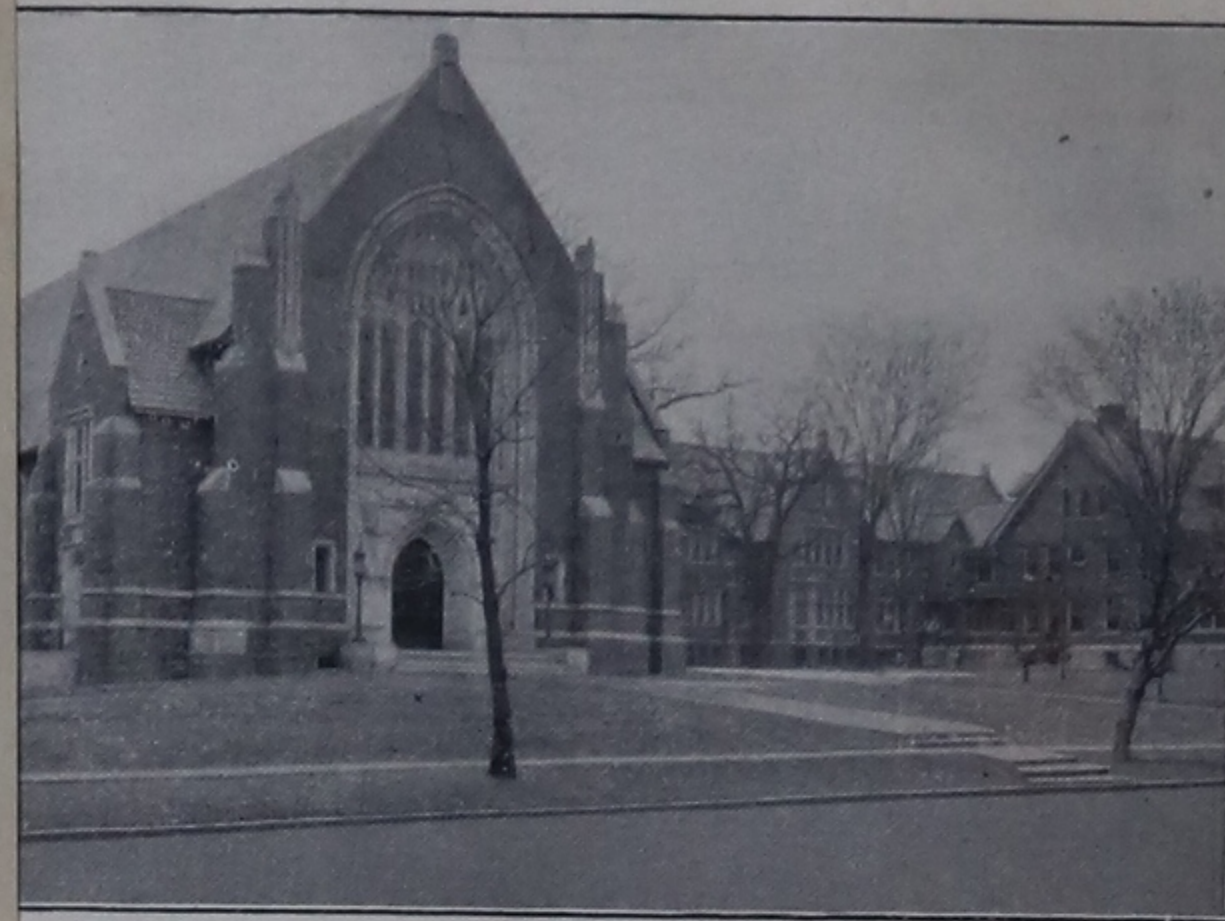
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t of the members of this church our young people can make money. You can help by purchasing tickets for that date. T TO REGISTER!

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ng in Iowa. You will miss much if you hurry away

Several additional teachers are needed for our Church School. This is an appeal for volunteers. Excellent manuals for teachers are provided with the new lesson materials so that those who have charge of classes have splendid help for their preparation. Pupils books are at 822 right away and say you are coming.

The registrar reported that min-
isterial readiness is evident
since thirty-three new men joined
the denomination during the last
year and thirty left it.

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the recessional hymn too—Rose, Crowned with Light
the Postlude—"Postlude in E flat".....*Wolstenholme*
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HAVE YOU FAVORITE HYMNS? Name three, if you wish, and some of them will be used in our service.

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May

RE: IOWA CONGREGATIONAL MEN'S DINNER
SAVERY HOTEL, DES MOINES, WEDNESDAY

Dear Fellow-Worker:

The Committee feels that the near approach for the Dinner calls for the most active work to complete the full number of acceptances from

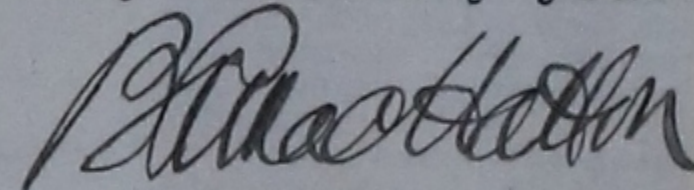
Please note these three points:

- (1) We need definite, final report by Tuesday for on Wednesday morning we must meet at the Hotel.
- (2) We will provide for any additional phoned me, up to Wednesday noon.
- (3) Reports indicate that there will be present.

To reach this goal your vigorous effort to secure one hundred per-cent of acceptance. Will you not give it now?

We greatly appreciate your splendid help.

Very cordially yours



For: MEN'S DINNER COMMITTEE

(Phone - Drake 822)

Congregational Conference of Iowa

Plymouth Congregational Church

Des Moines, Iowa

Annual Sermon and Communion Service
May 8th, 1928, 7:15 O'clock
Organ Recital 7:15 - 7:45

Festival Prelude

Prayer

Tenor Solo—"Christ Went Up Into The Hills"
Largo from "The New World Symphony"
Finlandia

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

The Prelude—Prelude to "Parsifal"

The Processional Hymn 486—"Hark, Hark, My

The Call to Worship—A Responsive Chant and

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The Service of Penitence—(The people seated and bowing)
Minister—Have mercy upon us, O God, according to thy tender mercies.
People—According unto the multitude of thy tender mercies.

Minister—Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
People—For we acknowledge our transgressions, and our hearts are grieved because of thee.
Minister—Hide thy face from our sins, and blot out all iniquity.
People—Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.
Minister—Cast us not away from thy presence, O God, our hope, and do not take away thy word.
People—And take not thy face from us.
Minister—O Lord, open thou our lips.
People—And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

The Assurance of Pardon

The Hymn of Praise 3—"O Worship the King"

The Scripture Lesson

The Anthem—"Springs in the Desert"

The Pastoral Prayer and Response by the Quorum

The Hymn 281—"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go"

The Conference Sermon—"THE RELIGION OF THE FUTURE"
Rev. J. Richmond Morgan, Wat

The Hymn 150—"Beneath The Cross Of Jesus"

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Minister—God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, who soever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.
People—Have mercy upon us, O God, for in Thee do we put our trust.
Minister—He was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was laid on Him, by whose stripes we are healed.

People—What shall we say then to these things? If we are ungodly, He died for us; if we are sinners, He suffered for us, to deliver us from all unrighteousness; if we are guilty, He was made to die for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto Himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.

Prayer in Unison—
Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and all our thoughts lead thee, we beseech thee, O Lord, to cleanse us from all unrighteousness, and by the power of Thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly magnify Thy holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Communion

The Offering for Ministerial Relief

The Quartet—"The Eternal God Is Thy Refuge"

Silent Prayer and Benediction—(The people seated)

The Recessional Hymn 414—"God Of Our Father"

(The Congregation is requested to stand during the Recessional)

The Postlude—"Processional du Saint Sacrament"

(The asterisk indicates intervals when late-comers may join)

Williams to Speak.
The Rev. E. G. Williams, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church of this city, will address the group on "Christian Unity." The general conference program will close Thursday afternoon.

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lose an opportunity to meet with him

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Postlude—Song without words
Presto e Molto Vivace

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1926 should now be on file as the new year is here.

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ENVELOPES FOR 1926 will be sent out next week to those who pay weekly.

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from being a praiseworthy avocation. Get inside the walls and help make that Sermon on the Mount a vital factor in our life. In no other way will this country of yours become a still finer America."

ADVISORS.

this church and the neighborhood are invited.

Wives and husbands may come, too, if only everyone will make reservation. Kindly call Drake 822.

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needs for benevolences, for current expenses, for our gifts through the Sunday School, and all departments of our work.

rollments must be in by noon of the opening day to be counted as advance enrollment. Some of Plymouth Teachers are enrolled. Let's have more!

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