

DUTIES OF THE CHRISTIAN

May Church Members Living Too Far Away from the Master.

PREACHING ON SECULAR TOPICS DECRIED

Scrupulous Honesty in Daily Life is the True Service of God, Says Dr. Mann of Unity Church.

At Plymouth Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. Frederick A. Hatch, preached an interesting sermon on "If Christ Should Come to Church," which was a plain statement of the duty of the church and of church members according to the idea of the pastor.

The church is the bride and palace of the son," said the minister, "and if people would once realize this the church would immediately step forth to higher and nobler work. How nearly are we in communion with the Master. The whole is equal to the sum of the parts. What is true of the church universal is true of each church. What would Christ find if He were to come to church today? He would find the church taking the place of the dog under the table getting the crumbs. Church members are not more money for luxuries than for the bride of Christ. There will be more money spent by Christians in the next four months for fireworks and brass bands than will be sent to the starving of India. Begging and darning are necessary to get the Lord what is His by sovereign right.

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Members of the Church Should Be Workers for It.

At the first church Sunday morning there was a special musical service, a feature of which was the singing of "Abide in Me" by Miss Georgia Harpster, soprano. Rev. Mr. Martin, pastor of the church, preached on "Duties and Dangers in Church Life." His text was from 1 Timothy III: 15: "That thou mayest know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth." As each duty was mentioned the minister accompanied it with an exposition of the dangers attending it. He began with the duty of attendance, and with illustrative incidents and observations. The first duty is to enter the church for salvation and spiritual growth, not for any lower motive. A mistake in this respect at the beginning will weaken one all through life. The second is to enter the church to become workers for God, not simply to be saved from hell and to be taken to heaven. "I have no patience," said the pastor, "with the idea that the church is a sort of an institution for the issue of life insurance policies against the fires of hell or to take people into the rest of heaven. On the contrary, it is the place to work for God and for men, and to do good in the world. Sometimes a preacher is asked, 'How many members have you in your church?' He states the number on the roll, and the question is very likely to come next, 'Well, but how many actual workers have you?' In a church recognizing the obligations of Christ there ought to be as many workers as there are members.

The third duty shown is that in the church we are joined to Christ and owe our loyalty to Him, and persons recognizing this allegiance must not be disturbed in their church relations because they do not like certain other members there. Our loyalty to Christ should be above passing likes and dislikes. We should speak well and think well of brethren and sisters in the church, not blind to their weaknesses and faults, but ever mindful of their needs.

We must be intelligent that is, knowing why we are members of the church and being able to defend the church doctrine and position in the religious world. In order to be so, a church member should be a bible student, a reader of his church books and periodical literature. In the spirit of meekness he should restore the erring, and not criticize them when they fall under temptation. Many a sincere young Christian has been deeply wounded and, may be, driven into a coldness and neglect of the church through a failure on the part of the church to be tender in its effort to win him out of his first sin.

RIGHT THINKING IS WORSHIP.

Honesty in Daily Life is the True Service of God.

At Unity church Rev. Newton M. Mann commented upon "Three Current Notions of What Divine Service Consists In" comparing the ceremonies of the mother church with those of the Protestant faith, and those in turn with the worship of another class which acknowledges the away of no sect. "The motive behind the Roman Catholic service," Mr. Mann said, "is an effort to do something for the glory of God. The service of the Protestant denominations is aimed rather toward human betterment. It assumes that it is no part of our business to worship God, but rather to develop the love of what is good and beautiful in the human heart. The fundamental idea of a more advanced community of thinkers is that all right thinking is worship; that scrupulous honesty in daily life is the true service of God.

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SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

A great deal of interest is manifested in the appointment of a city attorney and as the time draws near for this appointment applicants for the position are hustling. Among the prominent candidates for the place are: A. H. Murdoch, Henry C. Murphy, J. A. Beck and W. C. Lambert. So far Mayor Kelly has declined to commit himself, but he has the names of these four applicants under consideration. It is understood that no appointment will be made for a month or two, as City Attorney Montgomery is to be given an opportunity of closing up the cases now in court.

In This Life.

Dean Fair of Trinity cathedral preached Sunday morning on the subject of the resurrection and immortality.

"The longest life," he said, "is far too short to live out the full scope of a perfect life. A moment on the waves and sink into condition to round out and fulfill the promise that are hinted at in this.

Perfect Humanity Cannot Be Attained.

"No, it cannot be that earth is man's only abiding place. It cannot be that our life is a mere bubble cast up by eternity to float a moment on the waves and sink into nothingness. Else why is it that the glorious aspirations which leap like angels from the temple of our hearts are forever wandering unsatisfied? Why is it that the stars that hold their fatal around the midnight throne are set above the grasp of our limited faculties, forever mocking us with their unapproachable glory? And, finally, why is it that the bright forms of human beauty presented to our view are taken from us, leaving the thousand streams of our affections to flow back in Alpine torrents upon our hearts?

Escaped Prisoner Known Here.

Frank Pyska, who escaped from the county jail a day or two ago, was sent up from South Omaha during the winter for shooting John Fyda, a saloon keeper doing business on the corner of 14th and F streets.

On the date of the shooting Pyska entered Fyda's saloon and ordered a glass of beer.

He was intoxicated at the time, and when it came to settling there was a war of words between the two. Pyska asserted that he had paid, while Fyda insisted that he had not. Without any warning Pyska pulled a revolver from his coat pocket and fired at the saloon keeper. The bullet passed through the biceps muscle of the left arm and also through the left lung and it still lodged in the muscles of the back. In making his escape from the saloon after shooting Fyda, Pyska fired a shot at Policeman La Duke, who was just entering the place to quell the disturbance. Fortunately for La Duke the bullet passed between his right arm and his body. A hole was cut in both the waist of his coat and his sleeves. After taking a shot at the policeman Pyska made a run for the railroad yards and was captured after a hard fight. Fyda spent considerable time at St. Joseph's hospital, but recovered sufficiently to return to his home. A month after his return from the hospital he sold his saloon and removed to Buffalo, N. Y., where he now resides. Recent advices are to the effect that he is again looking for work and is entertained for his recovery.

Fyska arrived in South Omaha on the day of the shooting from Ames, where he had been working in the best sugar factory.

He had previously worked for farmers in the vicinity of Ames. At the time of his arrest he said that he expected to find work in one of the packing houses.

Meats for Cape Nome.

The Cudahy Packing company is preparing a shipment of 125,000 pounds of meat for Cape Nome. A large proportion of this shipment is composed of canned meats, although some of Cudahy's well known brands of cured meats will be sent to the now famous gold camp. From here the shipment, which will be packed in four cars, will go to Vancouver and from there by steamer on May 15 to Cape Nome. It is asserted that the meats packed in South Omaha stand the northern climate much better than those from other points. Other packers will doubtless send large consignments of cured meats to Alaska this summer and preparations for this trade are now being made.

Commercial Club Does.

A proposition to increase the dues of the Commercial club to \$4 a year has been suggested and is meeting with favor among the members. As the dues now stand the amount derived is not enough to pay for the work in hand, although the utmost economy has been practiced. By increasing the dues to \$4 a year the officers of the club will have sufficient funds to pay all running expenses and at the same time will provide for the rapid transaction of business. Several matters of great importance to the club and results are expected before the end of the week.

Aspirant for Councilmanic Honors.

Interest in the appointment of a councilman to fill the vacancy now existing continues and Mayor Kelly is being consulted every day by friends of the various applicants. One of the latest candidates to be pushed forward is N. B. Mead, manager of the Western Union Telegraph company. Mr. Mead is a well known republican and has lived here ever since he was a boy. He is considered qualified in every way to fill the place and the mayor is being urged to appoint him. The mayor says that he is

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