

NASSAU CONGREGATION TO MARK 85TH ANNIVERSARY TOMORROW

Solemn Thanksgiving Mass To Be Celebrated at St. Mary's Church

The Rev. Maurice Imhoff, O. M. C., to Preach Sermon at Services; Parish Offshoot of Albany Church; Founded in 1835

A CONGREGATION which had its origin as an offshoot of St. Mary's Church in Albany will celebrate its 85th anniversary tomorrow with solemn services at St. Mary's Church, Nassau. The Rev. Maurice Imhoff, O. M. C., pastor, will preside at a solemn High Mass of Thanks...

Outdoor Rites Of Baptism Tomorrow

The second outdoor baptismal service to be conducted at Poestenkill during the summer will take place tomorrow at 11 a. m. at the Poestenkill Creek, halfway between the villages of Poestenkill and East Poestenkill. The Rev. Clyde J. Harbutt, pastor of Poestenkill Baptist Church, will be in charge of the ceremonies.

The baptismal ceremonies will be preceded by an outdoor worship service open to the public, after which the traditional baptism by immersion will take place in the waters of the Poestenkill. Those to be baptized tomorrow will be Mrs. Milton K. Hill, Fritz Richter, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teal. Congregations of the Poestenkill and East Poestenkill Baptist Churches will unite for this outdoor service. In preparation for the event a public address system has been set up to carry all details of the ceremonies to those in attendance.

A special detail of State Police will be assigned to handle traffic, and parking arrangements have been made near the scene of the service.

Talk on China Scheduled At Delmar

AT THE morning worship services in the chapel of First Methodist Church, Delmar, tomorrow at 11 a. m., E. C. Heinsohn will talk on the Chinese-Japanese situation. Mr. Heinsohn, with his wife, has just returned from China, where he served for several years. Mrs. Hatold Stevens will be soloist for the service, and Miss Irene Gebhard will be at the organ. During the absence of the Rev. Terrence P. O'gden, pastor, on his vacation, Mr. O'gden is expected to return next Sunday, when regular services will be resumed at the church.

3 Divinity Students To Preach

DIVINITY students will occupy pulpits of three Lutheran congregations tomorrow. At Christ Lutheran Church, Walter Euler of Schenectady, a student at Concordia Theological Seminary at St. Louis, Mo., will preach at 10 a. m. Mr. Euler is filling the pulpit during the absence on vacation of the Rev. J. P. Taylor, pastor.

East Schodack Band To Appear in Albany

Under sponsorship of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, of which the Rev. P. M. Luther is pastor, the East Schodack Firemen's Band will give a concert Friday night, Sept. 16, on the church lawn in Herkimer St. The band is conducted by the Rev. Charles M. Witthoff of East Schodack. Appearing with the band will be a group of amateurs who have appeared with Major Bowers on the radio amateur hour. Women of the church will conduct a sale of ice cream and cake during the affair. Proceeds will be added to the church fund.

Cohoes Knights To Have Clamsteam

More than 200 are expected to attend the annual clamsteam and outing of Cohoes Council, Knights of Columbus, tomorrow at Macy's Grove, near the Cohoes-Crescent highway. In connection with the steam a program of sports and other entertainments has already prepared. Andrew H. Sullivan and John McGehee are chairmen of general committees. Other persons are Greater Oyster, Charles O'Rourke, Francis Scott, George Fontaine, John Roberts, Charles Murray, Bernard Turner, Hugh McKee, James Shultz, Oscar Stiles, Emmet Ryan, Harry Dickey, James Carroll, Desmond Haven, Milton McKinney, John McGold, Primo Carboni, Louis Matoni, Nicholas Valenti, John DeChiro, Gerry Nagert, William Hurley, William Finn and James McGehee.

HOUSE OF WORSHIP SINCE 1732



One of the most popular spots of summer tourists in the Green County village of Leeds is the famous old Dutch Reformed Church, founded in 1732. Leeds originally was known as Old Catskill. This church, of which the Rev. George Wood is pastor, is the oldest in the section.

Services in Albany Churches

EPISCOPAL Cathedral of All Saints the Very Rev. Edward R. Welles, dean, 7:30 a. m. Holy Eucharist; 9:30 a. m. Holy Eucharist, hymns, and sermon; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon by the Rev. Oscar C. Taylor, canon sacrist, 4 p. m. evening prayer in the chapel. Daily, 7:30 a. m. matins and Holy Eucharist. St. Andrew's, the Rev. Charles W. Findlay, rector, 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon by the Rev. Norman Dore.

St. Paul's, the Rev. George A. Taylor, rector, 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon. Grace, the Rev. Loren N. Gavitt, rector, 7 a. m. matins; 7:30 a. m. Low Mass and Holy Communion; 10:45 a. m. Sung Mass and sermon; 8 p. m. evening. Daily, 7 a. m. Low Mass. Epiphany (Rensselaer), the Rev. P. Allen Sisco, rector, 10:30 a. m. morning service and sermon.

PRESBYTERIAN First, the Rev. Eugene Carson Blake, minister, 11 a. m. union service at Westminster Presbyterian Church. Fourth, the Rev. J. Frederick Pitcher, minister, 10:30 a. m. union service with Temple Baptist Church. Madison Avenue, the Rev. Calvin H. French, minister, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon by the Rev. Marvin J. Thompson of Jamaica.

Westminster, the Rev. Kenneth B. Welles, minister, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon by the Rev. P. A. Wolfe of Evanson, Ill. Trinity Methodist, First Presbyterian and Emmanuel Baptist Churches will unite in this service.

LUTHERAN First, the Rev. Chalmer E. Proutz, pastor, 9:30 a. m. divine worship and sermon by the Rev. Robert E. VanDeusen of Rhinebeck. Sixth, the Rev. Leonard Appeldoorn, pastor, 10 a. m. morning worship and sermon, topic, "The Nobility of Self-Love." West End Presbyterian Church will unite in this service.

St. John's, the Rev. Theo. G. Posedel, pastor, 9:15 a. m. English Service and sermon by Harold Guiza of Philadelphia. St. Matthew's, the Rev. G. Albert Schmitz, pastor, 10 a. m. morning worship and sermon. Our Savior's, the Rev. Martin Duchow, pastor-elect, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon by Alfred Gorn.

St. Paul's, the Rev. Paul G. Prokopy, pastor, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon, topic, "Good to Draw Near God." St. Peter's, the Rev. P. M. Lither, pastor, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon. Whitehall Road Chapel, the Rev. G. Albert Schmitz, pastor, 11:15 a. m. morning worship. Christ Chapel, the Rev. T. F. Taylor, pastor, 9:30 a. m. Bible School; 10 a. m. morning worship and sermon by Walter Euler of St. Louis.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL First, the Rev. F. M. Hagadorn, minister, 10:30 a. m. morning worship and sermon by the Rev. Fred Clarke. First (Delmar) the Rev. Terrence P. O'gden, minister, 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon by E. C. Heinsohn. Services will be in the chapel.

REFORMED First, the Rev. M. Stephen James, minister, 10:30 a. m. morning worship and sermon by the Rev. Bertrand de Heus Atwood, associate minister. Delmar, the Rev. Delbert J. Kinney, minister, 9:45 a. m. Bible School; 11 a. m. nursery school; 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon by the Rev. Walter Roughgarden of Coeymans.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE First, 10:45 a. m. Morning service, subject, "Christ Jesus"; 10:45 a. m. Sunday School, Wednesday; 8 p. m. testimonial meeting.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE Albany Gospel Tabernacle, the Rev. Clyde G. Kennedy, minister, 9:45 a. m. Bible School; 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon; 7 p. m. young people's prayer serv-

'Christ Jesus' Subject of Lesson

"CHRIST JESUS" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Aug. 28. The golden text is: "Thou, Bethlehem Ephraim, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel: those going forth have been from thee, from now on" (Micah 5:2).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light; they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined... For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace" (Isa. 9:1-6).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following correlative selection from the textbook of Christian Science, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Throughout all generations both before and after the Christian era, the Christ as the spiritual idea—the reflection of God—has come with some measure of power and grace to all prepared to receive Christ, Truth, Abraham, Jacob, Moses and the prophets caught glorious glimpses of the Messiah, or Christ, which baptized these seers in the divine nature, the essence of Love; and Jesus was demonstrated through Jesus to prove the power of Spirit over the flesh—to show that Truth is made manifest by its effects upon the human mind and body, healing sickness and destroying sin" (pp. 333, 316).

China Rector To Preach At Bolton

THE Episcopal Church of St. Sacrament at Bolton Landing tomorrow will have as preacher at 11 o'clock morning services the Rev. Kimber H. K. Den, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church at Nanchang, China. The Rev. Mr. Den is touring the United States for six months, in an endeavor to create good will for China. A native Chinese, the clergyman was educated for the ministry in China, and speaks perfect English. Sunday, Sept. 4, the Rt. Rev. Ernest Stires, Episcopal bishop of Long Island, will be the preacher at the Church of St. Sacrament.

Red Hook Pastor Hudson Preacher

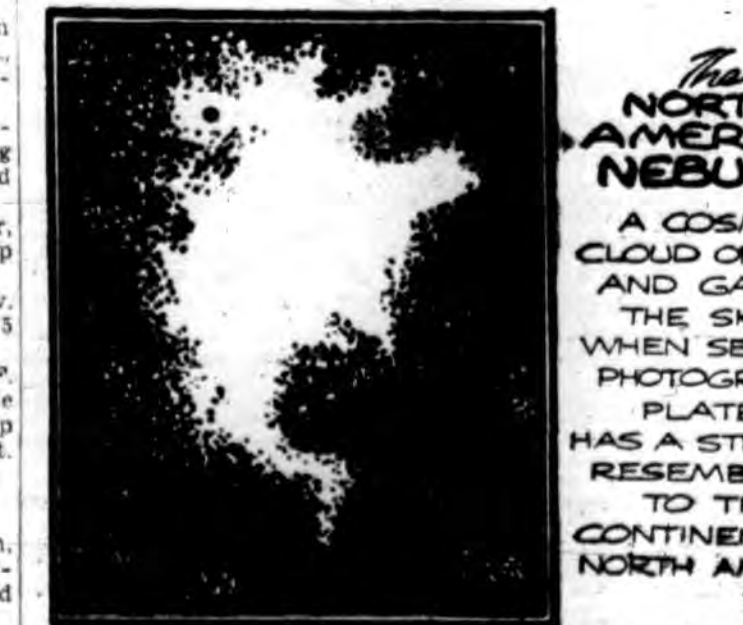
The Rev. George H. Hipsley, pastor of Red Hook Lutheran Church, will preach tomorrow at union services of Hudson Protestant churches, to be conducted at 11 a. m. in St. John's Lutheran Church, Hudson. The service tomorrow is the third of the extensive union observances conducted in various churches of the city. Special music for the service will be played by Mrs. Elizabeth Knapp, organist of St. John's Church.

Preaches Tomorrow

The Rev. J. V. Moldenhauer, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, New York City, will preach tomorrow at Rensselaerville Presbyterian Church. The service will begin at 11 a. m.

This Curious World

By WILLIAM FERGUSON



THE NORTH AMERICA NEBULA... A COSMIC CLOUD OF DUST AND GAS IN THE SKY, WHEN SEEN ON PHOTOGRAPHIC PLATES, HAS A STRIKING RESEMBLANCE TO THE CONTINENT OF NORTH AMERICA. He lacked the power, insight, or will to train and discipline his own sons. The record puts it very plainly and flatly, "His sons did bring a curse upon themselves, and he restrained them not." The story is an illustration of how the wayward and evil-doing children can bring tragedy to themselves and to their parents. The evil in these sons of Eli was deep and flagrant. Moreover, it ought to be noticed in dealing with this lesson that the evil of these sons of Eli was very much like the evil in many perverse young people today. They flouted the idea of moral discipline. In their eyes there was no such thing as purity. They were all for natural instinct and indulgence. They did not restrain themselves, as Eli did not restrain them. Moreover, they chose the very environment of the temple where their father ministered for their vile deeds. It was essentially the type of unrestrained and so-called "self-expression" that many people are advocating and practicing today in defiance and contempt both of social convention and the moral code. The thing could not but end badly, and we may be perfectly sure that similar things will end badly today. These sons of Eli were dishonest grafters as well as moral reproaches. When they got laxly, dishonesty, or grafting in church or state, it is not long until church and state become weakened and ready to totter with the corruption. The personal goodness of men like Eli, who permit wrong is not sufficient to save the situation. The tragedy in this case was not all personal. Israel was surrounded by enemies. The Philistines came against the Israelites, and when the Israelites were put to flight, they hoped that they

AN EDITORIAL Get Out of Your Own Light

"THERE is dew in one flower, and not in another," Beecher used to say, "because one opens up and takes it in, while the other closes and the drop runs off. In other words, we get from life about what we bring to it."

Are you dissatisfied with today's harvest? It is the crop of yesterday's sowing. Do you dream of a golden tomorrow? You are planting it now. The world is a mirror that reflects the faces we make; a whispering gallery returning the echo of our own voices. We find nothing in the world that is first not found in ourselves. What fatality can hedge us about and limit our liberty? There is none. Knowledge, insight, energy can overcome all that we have. He only who is determined to rise out of what is called environment will ever achieve great things. Said Carlyle, "There is always a black spot in our sunshine—it is the shadow of ourselves!"

Get out of your own light! If you trust, you are trusted. If suspicious, you are suspected. Believe in people and you bless yourself as you bless them. Hold hatred toward others, and you poison your own cup. Man is a magnet which attracts to himself kindred spirits and principles until he is surrounded by a world all his own, and like himself. From the same materials man has built palaces and hovels, warehouses and homes, skyscrapers and slums. Stone and steel are steel and stone until the architect fashions them into something more. So are we architects of fate.

Priest at Spa Has Golden Jubilee

THE Rev. Henry Borgman, of St. Clement's Church, Saratoga Springs, this week celebrated his golden jubilee in the priesthood of the Roman Catholic Church. A Solemn High Mass was sung in St. Clement's Chapel, by the Very Rev. Andrew B. Kuhn, provincial of the Recompensator Order of which Father Borgman is a member. The Rev. Lawrence Jung was deacon and the Rev. Francis Parr subdeacon. The Rev. Robert M. The choir for the Mass was composed of priests stationed at St. Clement's Church.

The sermon for the jubilee celebration was preached by the Rev. Thomas H. Waldron, who traced the career of Father Borgman as a missionary. At the end of the Mass Father Borgman renewed the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience which he pronounced 50 years ago. Among visiting priests for the jubilee celebration were the Rev. Harold G. Wilson, formerly of Saratoga Springs, now stationed at Annapolis, Md.; the Rev. John Shaughnessy of Brooklyn; the Rev. James Keane of Boston and the Rev. James McCann of Philadelphia.

Lansingburg Church Marks Feast of Patron Saint

A TRIDUUM in observance of the Feast of St. Augustine, which began Thursday, will close tomorrow at St. Augustine's Church, Lansingburg, with a Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m. The observance is a highlight in the religious calendar of the parish, as St. Augustine is patron saint of the church, and of the priests who serve it. St. Augustine's Church is in the care of priests of the Order of St. Augustine, the only one in Troy being served by this order.

A native of St. Augustine's Parish, the Rev. John Wilson, OSA, of Tulsa, Okla., will be celebrant of the Solemn High Mass. The Rev. James Simpson, OSA, will be deacon and the Rev. Brendan McConnel, OSA, will be subdeacon. The Rev. George A. Walker, pastor, will be master of ceremonies at the Mass, and will preach the sermon. The church choir, organized last year under the direction of Father Walker, will make its first appearance after the summer, singing special music during the Mass, and an ancient hymn to St. Augustine at the processional and recessional.

Following the Solemn High Mass benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and the papal benediction will be imparted. Other Masses at the church tomorrow will be on the usual schedule, at 8, 7, 6, 5 and 4 p. m. Because of the solemn services, there will be no evening devotions tomorrow. There are more than 250,000 producing oil wells in 22 states.

Band to Play At Chatham Vespers A FEATURE of the Chatham open air vesper service tomorrow at 7:30 p. m., on the Caxton Press grounds on the Valatie road, will be a concert by the Ghent Band, conducted by Cyrus Vincent. During the service the Rev. John C. Eason of Copake will discuss plans for the School of Leadership to be conducted by churches of the Chatham area in Chatham. This school will be in October, at a time and place to be announced later. Dr. Eason, before coming to Copake was for some time leader of a similar school for religious leaders at Great Barrington, Mass. He is expected to have charge of the Chatham school, which will enroll church class leaders from Chatham, Valatie, Kinderhook, Copake and other villages in the vicinity.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Eli: Responsibility for Others Text: I Samuel 3:11-14; 4:12-18

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D. ELLI the high priest—to whom Hannah, the godly mother, brought her little son, Samuel, he might be brought up in the service of the temple—stands as a sad and sorry figure in Scriptures and in history. The sadness, too, is that he is a type of a large number of well-intentioned but efficient and suffering parents. Eli was apparently a good man. Nothing is recorded against his own personal integrity and uprightness. So far as we can judge, also, he was a faithful priest. Yet he failed in one of the most essential things, and the failure indicated a crucial weakness of character that did not show any actual moral delinquency. He lacked the power, insight, or will to train and discipline his own sons. The record puts it very plainly and flatly, "His sons did bring a curse upon themselves, and he restrained them not." The story is an illustration of how the wayward and evil-doing children can bring tragedy to themselves and to their parents. The evil in these sons of Eli was deep and flagrant. Moreover, it ought to be noticed in dealing with this lesson that the evil of these sons of Eli was very much like the evil in many perverse young people today. They flouted the idea of moral discipline. In their eyes there was no such thing as purity. They were all for natural instinct and indulgence. They did not restrain themselves, as Eli did not restrain them. Moreover, they chose the very environment of the temple where their father ministered for their vile deeds. It was essentially the type of unrestrained and so-called "self-expression" that many people are advocating and practicing today in defiance and contempt both of social convention and the moral code. The thing could not but end badly, and we may be perfectly sure that similar things will end badly today. These sons of Eli were dishonest grafters as well as moral reproaches. When they got laxly, dishonesty, or grafting in church or state, it is not long until church and state become weakened and ready to totter with the corruption. The personal goodness of men like Eli, who permit wrong is not sufficient to save the situation. The tragedy in this case was not all personal. Israel was surrounded by enemies. The Philistines came against the Israelites, and when the Israelites were put to flight, they hoped that they

Church Plans Anniversary Sept. 18

THE sesquicentennial celebration of the building of the Stone Arabia Reformed Church will take place Sunday, Sept. 18. It was announced. The program originally was scheduled for this weekend. In connection with the celebration, an Old Home Day for former members of the congregation will be conducted by present communicants of the church.

The Rev. A. E. Dukheizen, pastor, will have charge of the program for the celebration. Guest preachers will be the Rev. M. Stephen James, pastor of First Reformed Church, Albany, and the Rev. Donald Boyce of Westerlo.

The First Reformed Church at Stone Arabia, now Palatine Bridge, was built by settlers from the German Palatinate, some time in 1725, as nearly as research among old records of the Monawk Valley have been able to reveal. The settlement was among the first to be made in the valley by German immigrants, seeking religious liberty and new homes for themselves and their families.

Five Churches List Visiting Preachers

VISITING clergymen will occupy pulpits in Albany tomorrow. At a union service of Westminster Presbyterian, Trinity Methodist, First Presbyterian and Emmanuel Baptist Churches, at Westminster Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Paul A. Wolfe of Evanson, Ill., will preach. The service will be at 11 a. m. At First Methodist Church the visiting preacher will be the Rev. Fred Clarke and the morning service and sermon will be at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. Marvin J. Thompson of Jamaica, formerly pastor of Oakwood Avenue Presbyterian Church, Troy, will deliver the sermon at Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m. At First Lutheran Church the Rev. Robert E. VanDeusen of Rhinebeck will preach at 9:30 a. m. while at Delmar Reformed Church the Rev. Walter Roughgarden of Coeymans will be the preacher. Between January and June this year, German factories sold 143,328 cars—an increase of 8 per cent over the same period last year. American motorists touring in France in 1938 will be allowed a reduction in the price of gasoline.

HOLD EVERYTHING, By Clyde Lewis



"Could I get a half-price ticket for him? He can only see out of one eye."

FLAPPER FANNY By Sylvia



"This summer'll always be full of happy memories for me—that day I caught a crab, an' when I learned to swim the six-foot, an' when you nearly got drowned."