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#### A SATURDAY SERMON

#### The Night Cometh

(Rev. Canon W. F. Rushbrook, St. Peter's Anglican Church)

"I must work the works of Him that sent me, whilst it is day: the night cometh when no man can work."-Jesus. On the dial of the watch of the famous Dr. Johnson there were written three Greek words, from this state-

ment of Jesus, namely, "The night cometh." In 1797 Walter Scott read Boswell's life of Johnson. He her, witness receiving \$500 insur- Princess Adelaide for her home in Boston was struck with the terse epigram"-

and made it his own. "If," thought to Lockhart, his future biographer Scott, "I am to accomplish anything must strive while I may." So he had the words "the night cometh" (They were in Scott's library). carved in stone on the sundial of his cottage home, Lassswade on the Lockhart read those consoling sr.) to the son. banks of the Usk, and under its in- words of Jesus from John XIV. spiration he worked as few men "This is a great comfort—a great of accused, told of the younger he would be unable to work.

Both Johnson and Scott, while words of Jesus. they dreaded death as the cessation. They were the watchwords of Je- the evening. Witness then went to of life's activities, yet, from their sus, the greatest life ever lived, and church and had been called from contact with the Master, Jesus, they are the centre of the two there on account of the fire. death.

years, came close, the dark cloud out our own salvation." which lies beyond death and he for nothing). faith triumphed over his fears . . . no man can work. and he confidently resigned his soul to his Savior."

"Read to me Lockhart." "From what book shall I read?"

Saturday, May 6, 1933

"Need you ask? There is but One."

have. He dreaded the night when comfort," whispered the dying man. Dawson and his wife leaving her through age, sickness or infirmity Thomas Carlyle, too, in his very house, following Christmas dinner

through his text, found comfort in greatest biographies in the English language—of Johnson by Boswell Of the former, in his biography, and Scott by Lockhart. If we would guests at Champion's for Christmas we read, "When at length the mo- accomplish anything in the Chris- dinner. He had previously been at

passed away from Johnson's mind. The world is full of mendicant had seen accused in the evening at His temper became unusually pa- Christians (please Lord for Jesus' the fire. Witness identified a suit tient and gentle. He ceased to think sake give me this, give me that—re- which was taken from one of the with terror of death and of that ligious hoboes, wanting something trunks which had been in the gar-

spoke much of the mercy of God I must work for my God-for my had worn at Christmas dinner. and the propitiation of Christ. His fellowman-the night cometh when

The latter, as he lay dying; said love and are loved by!

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister, Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, B.A.

Organist, John E. Davey

11 a.m., Sermon Subject: "THE GOOD SHEPHERD"

12:15, Sunday School

12:30, Sunday School in Westview School

7:30 p.m., Sermon Subject: "BETRAYING ACCENTS!"

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Sunday, 11 a.m., Prayer

Sunday, 2:30 p,m., Sunday School

Sunday, 8:00 p.m., Gospel Message

Subject, "CAN THE WORLD SEE JESUS IN ME?"

## ARSON CASE

Fifteen Witnesses Heard Up to Yesberday Afternoon in E. C. Dawson Trial

#### Crown Evidence

Father, Mother and Sister of Accused Among Those Giving Testimony

Fifteen witnesses had been heard up to adjournment Friday evening helping to remove stuff from the in the Supreme Court Assize case here in which Ernest Claude Dawson of Smithers is charged with arson in connection with a fire which which destroyed the house of his mother, Mrs. Mary Dawson, at Smithers on Christmas night last.

Afternoon Session

The first witness at yesterday afternoon's session of the trial was Mrs. Mary Dawson, mother of ac- confined to the dining room only. cused and owner of the burned The flames spread rapidly, howhouse. She thought that her son ever, and, by the time the fire enhad the fire insurance policy at the gine arrived, the house was doomtime of the fire. She knew of no ed. Accused had said at the timedealings, however, in regard to the that the garage and shed centainfire insurance in which her son had ed "only empty trunks and junk." taken part. She had been ill for some weeks previous to the fire. Indeed, Christmas Day was the first occasion on which she had left the house, having gone with her husband, son and the latter's wife and fire marshal's inquiry where he was family to the home of Mrs. Champion, witness' daughter, for Christmas dinner, attending church he evening.

Under cross- examination, Mrs. Dawson sr. said that an heirloom brooch which was found among the son's effects in the trunks in the carage after the fire had been given by her to accused for the little granddaughter. Witness had dusted the day before Christmas and saw that the chimney had dropped. During the week before Christmas an airtight heater in the living room had exploded and the lid flew off The legs of this stove were also defective. Mrs. Lewis, another daugh- ing. ter of accused, had had an \$1800 mortgage on the house and \$1500 been teaching school at Metlainsurance had been paid over to katla, sailed last night on the New York ance on the furniture. Early last Victoria. She year the accused had made a pay- north. ment of \$1000 to Mrs. Lewis against the mortgage but no interest in the house or insurance had ever been turned over by her (Mrs. Dawson

Mrs. Annie E. Champion, sister first book, quotes these emphatic there, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and returning about 7:30 in

Accused's Suit

Stanley Noble was one of the ment, dreaded through so many tian religious life we must "Work the Dawson house and had helped accused to lock up the doors. He age as being the one that accused

> George M. Carruthers testified to having seen accused on Christmas Day at the home of "Grandma" Wealth is measured by those we DeVoin where Mrs. Lewis lived.

Roy Pope, living next door to the ouse which was burned, told of having heard accused in his house bout half an hour before the fire. His (accused's) little daughter had CHURCH NOTICES been in witness' house and he had alled to say that he would be back a few minutes to get her.

Mrs. Dawson jr. called a few minutes later and took the child away. After the fire, accused with his wife and family had stayed at Pope's house for the night.

Mrs. Alta May Pope, who was frequently in the Dawson house and had been there on Christmas Day, testified that certain toys and clothing taken from the trunks and other containers had been seen by her in the Dawson house as late as Christmas morning. She had also seen three of the trunks in question in the Dawson kitchen during the | rates. For informaweek preceding Christmas. They tion phone Blue 320 had explained that the trunks were getting wet inside the house and they were planning on taking them out to the garage and shed. Young Dawson and his wife had put out a big washing on Christmas eve. Under cross-examination, Mrs. Pope said that she had seen no one making trips between the Dawson house

and outbuildings on Christmas Day. Mrs. Annie Mary Monks, being on the street nearby at the time of the fire, went to the Dawson house and,

while on her way there, had been overtaken by accused who said: "For God's sake, let me past." Mrs. Monks helped to remove bed clothing from the burning house.

Percy Davidson, who was at the fire, testified that accused had said, referring to the garage, "For God's sake, don't let this building burn."

William F. Duff told of helping to remove blankets from one of the bedrooms. Accused had come up and excitedly cried: "For God's sake

save something. It's all we've got." Donald Collison told of calling at Champion's to take Mrs. Mary Dawson to church.

Dudley Little also testified as to burning building.

Assistant Fire Marshal

Ernest Haan, assistant fire marshal at Smithers, who was the first on hand after the fire alarm, told of using one fire extinguisher in the effort to put the fire out. Had he had an additional one, he believed he might have been successful in doing so as the fire, was at first Under cross-examination witness was positive that accused had said "only empty trunks and junk." He (witness) believed he was misreported in the preliminary trial and credited with testifying that acjunk." Witness at first said that the lid had been tightly on the crumbled heater which was found in the ruins of the house but, under crossexamination, admitted that he was not at all sure about this.

Lewis Austin and William Hugh Lewis were tendered as witnesse for cross-examination but no que tions were asked of either.

At 6 o'clock court adjourned until 10:30 this morning. Mr. Justice Denis Murphy is the presiding judge with L. S. McGill acting as crown prosecutor and J. T. Harvey defend-

Miss Beverly Bryant, who has

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#### Old Country Soccer

(Canadian Press)

Baseball Scores

American League

Baseball Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

AMERICAN LEAGUE

All postponed.

Brooklyn

New York

Cleveland

Detroit

Washington

ENGLISH-LEAGUE National League First Division Cincinnati 8, New York 5. Aston Villa 2, Derby County 0. Pittsburg 4, Brooklyn 2. Bolton Wanderers 5, Leeds Uni-Chicago 1, Boston 2. St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 3. Chelsea 1, Sunderland 1.

Huddersfield Town 1, Manchester Lelcester City 6, West Bromwich

iverpool 4, Sheffield Wednesday

Middlesbrough 4, Blackburn Rov-

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# TO PLAY

High School Girls' Club is Organ. ized For Season

An organization meeting of the High School Girls' Softball Club was held on Friday under the supervision of Miss M. Delaney.

The following captains were elected-Lillian Vaccher, Edna Dickens Gudrun Welle. Vice-captains: Margaret Fritz, Alice Hallberg, Lea Basso-Bert.

The teams are as follows: Beacons-Gudrun Welle (captain), Alice Hallberg, Fern Hunt Emilie Skattebol, Thelma Davies Margaret McLeod, Ruth Wood, Noriko Wamanaka, Ingra Morse, Frances Yager.

All Stars-Edna Dickens (captains, Margaret Fritz, Vera Morse Lillian Johnson, Betty Ellison, Preda Musallem, Cathie Finlayson Gertrude Turgeon, Lillian Croxford, Venetia Feero.

Sentinels-Lillian Vaccher (captain), Lea Basso-Bert, Daisy Mah. Marguerite Johnson, Tona Blain Ruth Nelson, Jean McLean, Peggy Steen, Cathie McMeekin, Nores

The following were chosen reporters and scorekeepers-Betty Ellison, Freda Mussallem, Emilie Skattebol, Ruth Wood, Lea Basso-Bert and Peggy Steen.

Umpire-Miss M. Delaney. The opening game between the Sentinels and All Stars will be play ed on Tuesday, May 9.

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### SPORT CHAT

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#### Steamship Sailings

For Vancouver-Tuesday-Catala ...... 1:30 p.m. Thurs .- ss. Prince George 10 p.m. Friday-ss. Prin. Adelaide 10 p.n. Ss. Cardena ... midnight May 10-ss. Prin. Norah May 19-ss. Prin. Norah May 31-ss. Prin. Norah From Vancouver-Sunday—ss. Catala Wed .- ss. Prince George 9:30 a.m. Friday-ss. Prin. Adelaide Ss. Cardena May 6-ss. Prin. Norah May 15-ss. Prin. Norah May 27-ss. Prin. Norah For Stewart and Anyox-Sunday—ss. Catala 8 p.m. Wed .- ss. Prince George 4 p.m. From Stewart and Anyox-Tuesday-ss. Catala ... 11:30 a.m. Thurs,-ss. Prince George 8 p.m.

For Naas River and Port Suppson-

Sunday-ss. Catala ..... 8 p.m.

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