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Importance of Swimming

THE SUMMER SEASON is here, and that means holidays. Holidays and sunny week-ends usually mean the beach, either at the lake or the seaside.

Each summer brings its toll of drownings, many of which could be prevented, if simple precautions were taken.

A list of 14 "do's" and "don'ts" has been compiled with the hope that this summer will see fewer deaths due to swimming and boating accidents.

1. Learn to swim. Know your own limitations as a swimmer.

2. Learn artificial respiration. The briefest delay in applying it may cost a life.

3. Where to swim. If possible swim in a supervised area. Investigate unknown water before swimming or diving.

4. When to swim. Late morning and afternoon are the safest hours in which to swim.

5. Temperature and time. Between 70 degrees and 80 degrees is best (warmer water relaxes too much, colder exhausts). Thirty minutes is long enough in the water for the average swimmer.

6. Swimming after eating. Wait at least two hours after eating a regular meal before swimming.

7. Panic contributes to most accidents. Learn to scull and tread water. Novices must stay in shallow water while learning to swim.

8. Exhaustion. Avoid over-activity, before a swim. Over-exertion while swimming, and extremely cold water also contribute to exhaustion.

9. Always have a companion, when fishing, swimming or boating. Never swim alone.

10. Reaching aids. Learn how to use all reaching aids; how to use floating objects to support yourself; how to throw hand line and ring buoy.

11. Cramps. If hit by stomach cramps, scull to support yourself and call for help. To ease leg cramps, take a deep breath, submerge, and ease cramped muscles with thumb and fingers of one hand, pressing through the muscles, to meet those of the other hand.

12. Currents. Never buck a current. Swim diagonally across and with its flow. If unable to reach shore, drift to save strength and call for help. If caught by an undertow, go with it and swim diagonally upwards to the surface.

13. Weeds. Use gentle, slow drawing and shaking movements to get out of weeds. Swim with the current not against it, until freed.

14. Boating. If capsized, hang on to the boat and call for help. Never enter a canoe unless you are an experienced competent swimmer.

CANADA AND UNITED STATES

WE (THE AMERICAN PEOPLE) assume, automatically that, in any time of crisis, the best interests of Canada would be also the best interests of the United States and vice versa. The assumption is founded on more than the compulsion of geography. It is founded on the solid fact of personal and national confidence. Any attitude of mistrust in any dealings with Canada would rightly be abhorrent to us. We take not only the friendliness but also the soundness, stability, integrity and essential "rightness" of Canada for granted. It would be hard to realize what our lives would be like if we did not.

—New York Times

NEW HOTEL

SINCE ANNOUNCEMENT of the intention to build a modern hotel here, many persons have been looking over the site on Second Avenue to see for themselves just where it is and what it looks like. Some are new comers who know nothing of what transpired in hotel negotiations in the early days. Everyone is finding great satisfaction to know that such an improvement is on the way. They say it will be a big factor in inducing other enterprises, as time goes on, to locate here.

APPRECIATIVE LETTERS READ

At its regular meeting held Thursday in the ladies lounge in the Civic Centre, Duchess of Edinburgh Chapter I. O. D. E. heard letters of warm appreciation for parcels of food which have been shipped to England and Belgium during past months.

Mrs. K. Guthrie, chairman of the Post War Committee, reported that a continuous flow of such parcels had been sent overseas and then read a number of grateful letters from recipients. One overseas mother reported that her children had received the parcels "with shouts of how wonderful they were. How wonderful it was to think that people so far away were willing to help us in our difficult times."

A small donation was voted to be sent to a girl student living at Langley Prairie to help her with her education.

The fall bazaar to be sponsored by Municipal Chapter was discussed and conveners and assistants appointed.

Regent Mrs. W. Whidden urged all members to attend the Decoration Day observance ceremonies to be held June 19. The meeting decided not to terminate the work of the chapter during the summer months.

The monthly raffle was won by Mrs. J. Moran. Following the business session, delightful refreshments were served by Mrs. H. D. Stewart and Mrs. J. Moran. The July meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Hicks.

AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Menshell, Miss Menshell, E. Bulmer, E. Mussellam, A. C. Christensen, Miss L. Christensen, Mrs. A. Benson, Miss R. Walton, L. K. Edelbluttee, A. Altmiller, E. Johnson.

To Sandspit—A. D. McGillivray.

From Vancouver—Miss J. Coupal, O. Hanson, C. Bydgnes, A. Watso, H. Hulbrandson, B. Iverson, T. Berg, G. Strokness, D. Passmore, A. Antonson. Mrs. B. Evitt.

From Sandspit—Mr. and Mrs. J. Wurtz.

Services in the Church

SATURDAY SERMON

GOD'S CHOICE

By REV. EARL SOILAND (Pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church)

"Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you. John 15:16."

Theme: God's Choice.

June 12 is Trinity Sunday in the Church Year. It is a season when we consider the fulness of God. In other seasons we devote our thoughts primarily to one particular person of the Godhead. In the above text we are faced with a decision made by one of the members of the Godhead but which also involves the others. The choice that Christ makes is the result of the councils of God before the world was made. In those councils the matters of salvation were worked out and the proper plans laid for their fulfillment. The three persons of God are active in carrying out these plans.

The natural thing for us to do in life is to try to get along without God. So we find substitutes. We busy ourselves doing good deeds. We improvise a form of religion and often set up a god of our own making. We never seek after the true God. Often the very mention of Him is the cause for anger. If someone suggests that our worship is vain because it does not honor God then he is shunned. Yes, we can always find an excuse for blindly walking on a path that does not lead to God.

The Bible tells us that none seek after God. It tells us that we are unable, because of sin, to properly worship Him. Martin Luther writes in his explanation of the creed, "I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ my Lord or come to Him but the Holy Ghost has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, and sanctified and preserved me in the true faith."

Our text tells us that we do not choose God, but He chooses us. We do not seek after God, yet He has determined to save us, in spite of ourselves. This does not mean that God compels us to worship Him. Neither does He compel us to enter heaven. However, God sheds His love upon us and that love impels us to love Him. It is God that seeks out those who will receive Him.

God has chosen those who are Christians for the work of glorifying Himself. We glorify God when we live Christian lives. Living Christianity is more than praying and saying pious things. It is a life that does the things that God wants done. The fruits of the Spirit such as faith, joy, peace, patience, meekness, humbleness, love, etc., grown in a Christian life. The fruits mature as the Christian matures.

Prayer is a part of the Christian life. When one is obedient to God's will, then God hears his prayer. There is tremendous power available to all who live thus. The answer to prayer is conditional—we must obey God. There is a goal and a reward for a God fearing life.

It is well to remember that as Christians we are the product of the Holy Spirit. He calls us, enlightens us, sanctifies us and preserves us in the true Christian faith. He enables us through prayer to receive God's gifts. Such gifts increase our Christian capacity.

DIRECTORY

Services in all churches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School at 12:15 except as shown.

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Rector: (Blue 733)

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4th Avenue East
Minister: Rev. George E. Sendall
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Minister: R. A. Wilson, M.A.
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Pastor: C. Fawcett
(Green 620)

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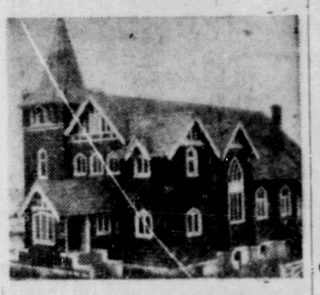

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Director of Music: Mrs. E. J. Smith

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SMITHERS HEARS KENNEY, BROWN

SMITHERS—The Hon. E. T. Kenney, supported by T. W. Brown of Prince Rupert, addressed a public meeting in the Elks' Hall Monday evening.

W. J. O'Neill acted as chairman.

The speaker stressed the advantage of free enterprise. The audience consisted mainly of men. There were no questions but much applause.

SHERIFF'S SALE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CARIBOO, BETWEEN W. M. MOTORS, LIMITED, PLAINTIFF, AND FLOYD GOOD, DEFENDANT.

Under and by virtue of a Warrant of Execution issued from the above Court and to me directed against the goods and chattels of the defendant, Floyd Good, I have seized one Allis-Chalmers Caterpillar Tractor, Model 650, Serial No. 55-266 with 11-foot blade, hydraulic hoist and loader, and on Thursday, June 16th, 1949, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Prince Rupert, B.C., I shall offer for sale at public auction all the right, title, and interest of the defendant in the above goods and chattels.

The tractor may be inspected at the farm of Kenneth Olson, Tchesinkut Lake, about ten miles south of Burns Lake, B.C., and the loader in the C.N. Ry. yards at Burns Lake, B.C.

Terms of sale, cash, and this sale is subject to the Social Security and Municipal Aid Tax.

The higest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 6th day of June, 1949.

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A Statement . .

On June 2 last I issued a challenge to Frank Calder, C.C.F. candidate for Atlin constituency, to prove the truth of certain statements made over his signature in the Prince Rupert Daily News May 31, 1949, issue.

To the best of my knowledge no attempt has been made by Mr. Calder to accept this challenge.

I must, therefore, conclude that the statements were in error and have no foundation in fact.

I am relieved to know that Atlin constituency Coalitioists whose good names were in question in these statements, have now had these good names cleared by Mr. Calder's silence.

W. D. SMITH, Coalition Candidate for Atlin.

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