

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

(Episcopal)

Seventeenth and I Sts.

THE REV. RALPH H. COX
Rector



World Communion Sunday

8:00 A. M.

Holy Communion

9:45 A. M.

Church School

11:00 A. M.

Choral Eucharist

Cordial Welcome to All

Berkeley 4

Hymn

299 - Sing praise to God, who
spoke these men

In differing times and
manners.

For those great ones who
led the way.

Truth written on their
banners.

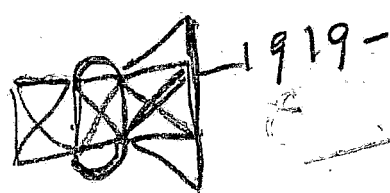
For those who once blazed
out the way.

For those who still lead on
Today,

To God be thanks & glory

Beloved 7 out -
Gives us a friend
of our lives.

Mr. Nuttall set up altar
and desk in
boardwood floor
in chancel



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the pageants

March 22, 1898

Christmas story

Dr. Carson

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pageants in
chancel

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church and
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from Rogers - was
Mr. Beale at
Lyon ranch

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McIntosh
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Mrs. Adams
S. G. Lamb
Church
She had order to
Mrs. T. J. J. J.

Pop. Bakersfield 1890 - 3,563

news papers - 9

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Holy Communion Service Is Slated

In observance of the Feast of All Saints the Reverend William E. Patrick will celebrate the Holy Communion in St. Paul's Episcopal Church tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

On Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the children and mothers of the primary department will hold a party in the Guild hall. Tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock members of the Young People's Fellowship will be entertained at the home of Mrs. R. F. Snow in the Norris District.

The Reverend James R. Helms, superintendent of the Good Shepherd Mission to the Navajos, showed motion pictures of the work the Episcopal Church fosters at Fort Defiance, Ariz., last night.

The Reverend William Payne, vicar of the Porterville-Lindsay Mission, drove the Reverend Mr. Helms down from Lindsay last evening, the two visiting clergy being entertained at dinner by the Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick. This afternoon the Arizona missionary spoke at St. Andrew's Church, Taft, as the concluding point of a tour of San Joaquin from Stockton to Bakersfield.

TO HOLD SALE

St. Paul's Episcopal Church will sponsor a rummage sale Thursday and Friday at Guild hall. Mrs. Harry E. Starkey will be the chairman in charge, assisted by Miss Margaret Gardett as vice-chairman.

CITRON FETES 75 AT HUGE DINNER

Students Share Jeweler's Thanks for American Way of Life

Seventy-five youngsters today helped Harry Citron say, "Thanks, Uncle Sam."

Empty plates and clean-picked turkey drumsticks bore evidence at noon that the 75 boys and girls, students of Kern County Union High School, had eaten a Thanksgiving feast, and lusty voices singing "God Bless America" told that Mr. Citron's young guests shared the state of happiness which prompted their host, a native of Austria, to invite them to a Thanksgiving dinner which many might otherwise miss.

Mr. Citron, a jeweler, entertained the boys and girls at Brock's tearoom at 11 a. m. today. It was his way of showing his appreciation for the liberties and independence accorded him by his citizenship in his adopted land of America.

Presenting his first annual dinner for 50 students last Thanksgiving, Mr. Citron invited 75 this year in accord with his aim of adding 25 more guests to his list each year.

The Reverend William E. Patrick of St. Paul's Episcopal Church was present to deliver a brief address, followed by songs by the assembled guests. Miss Dorothy Bitner selected the boys and girls who were to partake of the meal, prepared under supervision of Grace Edwards. A school bus transported the students to the tearoom.

Union Religious Services Planned for Thanksgiving

GIVING Thanksgiving its full measure of religious significance, two Union services have been planned by Bakersfield Ministerial Union for the coming week. On Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock, a program of Scripture, holy music and praise will be presented at Trinity Methodist Church, East Bakersfield, and on Thursday morning from 10 to 11 o'clock an impressive hour of devotions will be held at First Congregational Church.

At the latter, the Reverend Dillon Wesley Throckmorton, of Trinity Methodist Church, will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon, introduced by the Reverend B. B. Baird, president of the union. The invocation, followed by the Lord's Prayer, will be delivered by the Reverend Grover Ralston, pastor of First Methodist Church, and the responsive scripture will be in the hands of the Reverend John Murdoch, pastor of First Presbyterian Church. The congregational choir, directed by Mrs. Harold J. Burt, will present as its anthem, "Give Thanks Unto God" (Baines), after which the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector of St. Paul's, will read the President's proclamation. Concluding the service will be a prayer by the Reverend B. C. Barrett, president of First

Baptist Church, offertory by the Reverend Baird of First Christian Church, and a benediction by the Reverend A. S. Donat, pastor of the host church.

At Trinity church Wednesday night, Rabbi Jack Levy of the Jewish Community, will deliver the sermon, introduced by the Reverend Baird. Mrs. Winfield S. Eldred will play as an organ prelude, Beethoven's "Ode to Thanksgiving." A hymn will precede the invocation and Lord's prayer by the Reverend Castorena. Other numbers planned are as follow: Responsive Scripture, the Reverend Melvin C. Swann; anthem, "Thanks Be to God" (Dickson), by Trinity choir, directed by Dr. Eleanor B. Coleman; President's proclamation; prayer, the Reverend Charles H. Burrill of Calvary Baptist Church; offertory, the Reverend Baird; organ solo, "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn); benediction, the Reverend Throckmorton; and postlude, "Restive Episodes" (Scarab).

ST. PAUL'S (Protestant Episcopal) Seventeenth at H Street. The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector. Twenty-sixth Sunday after Trinity, services as follows: 8 a. m. Holy Communion, church school; 11 a. m. ante-communion, litany and sermon by the rector. "A Subdued Thanksgiving," 7:30 p. m. prelude, (a) "Andante Cantabile" from Jubilo" (Bach); processional hymn, "Praise to God, Immortal Praise" (Spanish Hymn); Tibi (Aallig); litany hymn, "Gloria Tibi, Laus in Dust to Thee" (Carr); hymn, "We Plough the Fields" (Schultz); offertory anthem, "O Sing Unto the Lord With the Harp" (Read); doxology; recessional hymn, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" (Elvey); postlude, "Marche Romaine" (Gounod).

TO PACK BASKET. The Young People's Fellowship of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet at the Guild hall tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock to pack a Thanksgiving basket. There will be no Guild or choir meetings this week because of the holiday. On Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector of St. Paul's Church, will celebrate the holy communion in the church at 10 o'clock. 7-3.

Thanksgiving day will be observed at St. Paul's Episcopal Church Thursday morning with the celebration of holy communion at 9:30 o'clock. Attention is being called by the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, that the service is at 9:30 and not 10 o'clock as previously announced, in order that members may attend the union services at the later hour at First Congregational Church.

Joint Services

Many Attend Religious Services

By BETH DYE

DEMONSTRATING Americans value the privilege of worshipping in unison, Bakersfield joined the nation last night and this morning at two Thanksgiving mass services addressed by Rabbi Jack Levy and the Reverend Wesley Dillon Throckmorton, respectively, at Trinity and First Congregational Churches.

Developing the subject, "Thanksgiving and the Mood of Humility," the Reverend Mr. Throckmorton warned his hearers this morning that America is in danger of playing the role of the publican who thanked God he was not as other people, and reminded his hearers that this should be a time of personal and national penitence.

"While this is the richest nation in the world, financially and materially, we have one of the most gigantic problems in our government relief," he said, calling attention also to the disenfranchisement of Negro citizens, child-labor problems and false hopes of security. He closed on an optimistic note, saying that the faithful are thankful for dependence on God, the universe, and the fact that good brings forth its kind, concluding "Good citizens are expected to meet the good life, not only for themselves but for the testimony it can give. Democracy is not obsolete, but workable, and the responsibility, after all, comes back on the last man."

Rabbi Levy, in last night's service, which was also attended by a capacity crowd, called attention to the privilege of the democratic process, religious tolerance and the right to worship, a privilege which is envied by half the world.

Other pastors taking part in the East Bakersfield observance were the Reverend Messrs. B. B. Baird, Casiano Castorena, Charles H. Burrill and Adjutant J. H. Strathdee. Dr. Eleanor E. Coleman directed the choir and Mrs. Winfield S. Eldred accompanied. Participants this morning, besides the Reverend Mr. Throckmorton and President Baird of the ministerial union, sponsoring organization, included the Reverend Messrs. Grover Ralston, John Murdoch, William E. Patrick, B. C. Barrett and A. S. Donat. Mrs. Harold J. Burt directed the choir and presided at the organ.

Several Bakersfield religious groups also observed Thanksgiving at special services today, among them Unity Center, of which Mrs. Della Shutt is minister.

ST. PAUL'S (PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL)
Seventeenth at I Street
The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
First Sunday in Advent, services as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., holy communion and sermon; 7:30 p. m., Young People's Fellowship. Order of music: Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, (a) "Shepherds' Carol" (Chubb), (b) "Claire de Lune" (Kerg-Elert); processional hymn, "Hosanna to the Living Lord" (Dykes); Kyrie eleison, Gloria Tibi, Laus Tibi from Monk's "Communion Office"; hymn, "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" (Helmore); offertory anthem, "The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee, O Lord"; Doxology: Sursum Corda and Sanctus (Monk); Gloria in Excelsis, (Old Chant); Nunc Dimittis (Barnby); recessional hymn, "Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers" (Smart); organ postlude, "Choral Postlude" (Armstrong).

Bazaar Committees Preparing for Sale

Committees in charge of the annual bazaar to be held at St. Paul's Guild hall, corner Seventeenth and I streets, tomorrow all day are headed by Mrs. Burton F. Covell for St. Paul's Guild and Mrs. W. A. Alexander for St. Margaret's Guild with the following tables: Fancy work, Mrs. Karl C. Longacre; white elephant, Mrs. Ida Smith; cooked food, Miss L. M. Sweitzer and Mrs. Heber B. Kelly; candy, Mrs. Arthur J. Wright, and aprons, Mrs. Percy T. Neate.

St. Paul's choir will rehearse tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

On Sunday the fourth grade class of boys, W. W. Simons, Jr., teacher was awarded the banner for best attendance during last month by H. W. Kelly, superintendent. The banner was made by Clinton Magun, now principal of the Coolidge Ariz., High School, when he was teacher in St. Paul's Church school a few years ago.

Church Guild Will Be Dinner Sponsor

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will hold a jitney dinner Tuesday, December 10, from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock, at the guild hall.

Roast pork and beef stew will be specialties. Mrs. W. A. Alexander and Mrs. Percy Y. Neate are co-chairmen.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH (Protestant Episcopal)

The Reverend Wm. E. Patrick, Rector.
Second Sunday in advent, services as follows: 8 a. m., Holy communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon, "Bible Sunday." Organ music by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, prelude, (a) "Meditation" (Tremblay), (b) "A Song of Hope" (Mueller); hymns, "Thy Kingdom Come, O Lord" (Hayne); "O Word of God Incarnate" (Mendelssohn); "Thou Art Coming, O My Saviour" (Monk); organ postlude "Fanfare" (Whitmer).

Asks Leave

Rev. Patrick Called to Guard as Chaplain



REV. WILLIAM E. PATRICK
After 16 Years, Requests Leave

THE Reverend William E. Patrick, who has been nearly 16 years rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city, has been appointed chaplain of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, California National Guard, with the rank of captain, Adjutant General R. E. Mittelstaedt announced yesterday. Chaplain Patrick, a former national chaplain of the American Legion, served in World War I as chaplain of the Twenty-third Infantry and of the Fifth Machine Gun Battalion in the Second Division, A. E. F. While with the Twenty-third Infantry he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and a Silver Star citation for bravery under fire.

The local pastor has requested a year's leave of absence from the wardens and vestry of St. Paul's Church, to take effect when the regiment is called to active service at Fort Lewis in February. Arrangements for pulpit supply will be made through the office of the Right Reverend L. C. Sanford, D. D., bishop of San Joaquin.

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The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector.
Third Sunday in Advent, services as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., ante-communion, litany and sermon with the following order of service: organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, "Chorus of Angels" (Clark), (b) "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring" (Bach); processional hymn, "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" (Gotha); Shorter Kyrie and Gloria Tibi (Tallis); litany hymn, "Saviour, When in Dust to Thee" (Carr); hymn, "On Jordan's Bank" (Hamburg); recessional hymn, "Thou Art Coming" (Monk); organ postlude, "Pageant" (Johnstone); 4:30 p. m., Christmas music vespers: organ numbers by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, "Trumpet Tune," from Eighth Suite for Harpsichord. (Handel); choral prelude, "A Lovely Rose Is Blooming" (Brahms); "Bouree," from Third Suite for Cello (Bach); choral prelude, "In Dulci Jubilo" (Bach); interlude of carols by the Misses Ruth Campbell, Laura Covell and Helen Paul. (a) "Emittet spiritum tuum" (Schuetky), (b) "Send a Torch to Jeannette, Isabella" (Tiersot); (c) "Sleep, Little Dove" (Tiersot); "Angels O'er the Field" (Manney); concluding organ selections by Mrs. Nichols, "A Christmas Carologue" (Diggle); "Noel," with variations (Bedell); Christmas pastorale, on the German folk-song, "Silent Night" (F. Flaxington Barker); "Marche aux Flambeaux" (Scottson Clark); 7:30 p. m., young people's fellowship.

St. Paul's Events for Week Announced

This week finds many organizations of St. Paul's Episcopal Church holding meetings, beginning with the wardens and vestrymen last evening in the church study at 8 o'clock. On Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Gibson, 300 Brink, the members of St. Paul's Guild will hold a Christmas party and on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Guild hall, St. Margaret's Guild will hold its final meeting of the year. A special rehearsal of the choir will be held on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Young People's Fellowship were entertained by Miss Edna Cooter at 75 A street last evening. It was decided to meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at 725 Holtby Road to pack the Christmas candy and on Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock to decorate the Sunday School Christmas tree. Members of the Altar Guild and St. Margaret's Guild will decorate the church Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

TO MEET TONIGHT

The Young People's Fellowship of St. Paul's Church will meet this evening at the home of the rector, the Reverend William E. Patrick, 725 Holtby Road, to pack the candy bags for the Sunday school Christmas tree.

TO DECORATE CHURCH

Members of the Altar Guild and St. Margaret's Guild will decorate St. Paul's Church for the Christmas season tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Those desiring to donate greens or flowers are asked to leave them at the church by that time. This evening at 6:30 o'clock the Young People's Fellowship will meet at the church to decorate the Christmas tree for the children's service.

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street
The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Fourth Sunday in Advent, services as follows: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., church school, Christmas carol service; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, (a) Pastoral Symphony from "The Messiah" (Handel), (b) "A Christmas Carologue" (Diggle); processional hymn, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" (Havergal); "Venite," "Benedictus es," "Jubilate" (Anglican chants); hymn, "Hark, a Thrilling Voice Is Sounding" (Monk); offertory anthem, "Gloria" from "Twelfth Mass" (Mozart); recessional hymn, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Smart); organ postlude, "Jubilate Deo" (Silver). C. E. Wakefield, Jr., choir director.

The annual Christmas Carol service of St. Paul's Episcopal Church School will be held Sunday at 9:45 a. m., with a program of familiar carols sung by the entire Sunday school and including one selection presented by the primary department. The advent offering, which is devoted to missionary work in San Joaquin, will be presented.

Musical Program

The order of music for the 11 o'clock service Sunday, will be as follows: organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, (a) Pastoral Symphony, from "The Messiah" (Handel); (b) "A Christmas Carol" (Nagle); processional hymn, "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" (Havergal); Venite, Benedictus Es and Jubilate (Anglican); hymn, "Hark, a Thrilling Voice Is Sounding" (Monk); offertory anthem, "Glorious Is Thy Name" (Mozart); recessional hymn, "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Smart); postlude, "A Christmas Carologue" (Diggle).

Regular Christmas services at St. Paul's Church will include the annual Christmas Eve service with special music Tuesday evening at 10:45 o'clock, and two celebrations of holy communion without music on Wednesday, at 8 and 11 o'clock.

Tall lighted cedars leading to the sanctuary and two shimmering blue fir trees on the platform, together with a dozen tiffany art windows, form the setting for special Christmas services at the First Congregational Church where the Reverend A. S. Donat is the pastor.

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FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL

Convocation

and meeting of the

Woman's Auxiliary

MISSIONARY DISTRICT OF SAN JOAQUIN



January 28, 29, 30, 1951

SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH

West Center and Hall Streets, Visalia

The Right Reverend Sumner D. Walters, S. T. D., Bishop

Mrs. Joseph J. Davis, President of the Woman's Auxiliary

The Reverend Victor M. Rivera, Rector

Meeting Places

Saint Paul's Church

First Methodist Church

Registration will be in Saint Paul's Parish Hall
Coffee and tea served from 2 to 4:30, Sunday afternoon

Convocation Program

THEME: *For Christ Through His Church!*

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

- 2-4:30 P. M., *Registration and Tea* - - - - - Parish Hall
- 5:45 P. M., *Auxiliary Dinner* - - - - - Elks Club
Speaker: The Rt. Rev. Sumner D. Walters, S. T. D.
Bishop of San Joaquin
- 8:00 P. M., *The Convocation Service* - - - - - Saint Paul's Church
Annual Address by the Bishop

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

- 7:30 A. M. *Convocation Corporate Communion* - - Saint Paul's Church
- 8:30 A. M., *Breakfast* - - - - - Methodist Church
- 10:00 A. M., *Organization of Convocation and Business Meeting*
- - - - - Saint Paul's Church
- 12:30 P. M., *Luncheon* - - - - - Methodist Church
- 2:00 P. M., *Convocation, Afternoon session* - - - Saint Paul's Church
- 7:00 P. M., *Annual Banquet* - - - - - Moose Hall
115 East Acequia Street
Speakers: Miss Edna Beardsley, National U. T. O. Custodian
The Rt. Rev. Frank A. Rhea, D. D.
Missionary Bishop of Idaho
Toastmaster: Mr. William Halstead, Visalia

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30

- 7:30 A. M., *Holy Communion* - - - - - Saint Paul's Church
- 9:30 A. M., *Business Session* - - - - - Saint Paul's Church
- 11:00 A. M., *Joint Session* - - - - - Saint Paul's Church
- 12:00 Noon, *Closing Devotional*
(Coffee and sandwiches served in the Parish Hall by Saint Paul's Woman's Auxiliary)

Woman's Auxiliary Program

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

- 2-4:30 P. M., *Registration and Tea* - - - - - Parish Hall
- 5:45 P. M., *Woman's Auxiliary Annual Dinner* - - - - - Elks Club
(203½ West Main Street)
Speaker: The Rt. Rev. Sumner D. Walters, S. T. D.
Bishop of San Joaquin
- 8:00 P. M., *Convocation Service* - - - - - Saint Paul's Church
Annual Address by the Bishop

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

- 7:30 A. M., *Woman's Auxiliary Corporate Communion* Saint Paul's Church
- 8:30 A. M., *Breakfast* - - - - - Methodist Church
(Meeting for department groups)
- 10:00 A. M., *Business Session* - - - - - Methodist Church
- 12:30 P. M., *Luncheon* - - - - - Methodist Church
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- 12:00 Noon, *Closing Devotional*
(Coffee and sandwiches served in the parish hall by Saint Paul's Woman's Auxiliary.)

Christmas Music Vespers

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, December 15, 1940
4:30 p. m.

MRS. LAURA E. NICHOLS, Organist
GIRLS' TRIO, Assisting

PROGRAM

George Frederick Handel.....
.....Trumpet Tune, from Eighth Suite for Harpsichord
Johannes Brahms.....
.....Choral Prelude, "A Lovely Rose Is Blooming"
Johann Sebastian Bach.....
.....Bourree, from Third Suite for Cello
Johann Sebastian Bach.....Choral Prelude, "In Dulci Jubilo"

CHRISTMAS CAROLS, GIRLS' TRIO

The Misses Ruth Campbell, Laura Covell, Helen Pauli

"Emitte Spiritum Tuum"

St. Paul's Church

BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

December 22, 1940

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE PARISH:

The Christmas schedule of services will be as follows:

Sunday, December 22, at 9:45 A. M.

Children's Carol Service and Presentation of Offering.

Tuesday, December 24, at 10:45 P. M.

10:45 to 11:00 P. M.—Organ music by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols.

11:00 P. M.—Annual Christmas Eve Service with special music.

Wednesday, December 25, Christmas Day

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.

11:00 A. M.—Holy Communion (without music).

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If you have not already signed your pledge to the 1941 budget, the vestry requests that you do so promptly and send it in to Mr. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., Treasurer of St. Paul's Church, P. O. Box 1167, Bakersfield.

In order to end the fiscal year with all obligations paid we need a Christmas offering of \$500.00. Enclosed you will find a special offering envelope for your contribution, to be placed upon the plate at one of the Christmas services.

May God's blessing be with you all,

Sincerely yours,

WM. E. PATRICK, Rector.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church Christmas Eve Service Set

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH will hold its annual Christmas Eve service at 10:45 o'clock Tuesday evening with a program of music. The selections will be: Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, "Christmas Pipes of County Clare" (Gaul), "A Christmas Carol" (Nagle), "Christmas Pastoral" on the German folk tune, "Silent Night" (Harker); processional hymns, "O Come All Ye Faithful" Kyrie Eleison, Gloria Tibi, Laus Tibi, from Gounod's "St. Cecilia" Mass; hymn, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" (Willis); carols, "Good King Wenceslas," "Cantique de Noel" (Adams), "Good Christian Men, Rejoice"; offertory anthem, "Break Forth Into Joy" (Ernest H. Smith); doxology, Sursum Corda, Sanctus and Agnus Dei (Gounod); communion hymns, Gloria in Excelsis (Old Chant); closing carol, "Silent Night" (Gruber); recessional hymn, "Hark the Herald Angel Sings" (Mendelssohn); postlude, "A Christmas Sarabogue" (Diggle).

The final rehearsal has been called for 7 o'clock tonight by C. E. Wakefield, Jr., choir director.

Other Christmas services will be held on Wednesday, consisting of two celebrations of Holy Communion at 8 and 11 o'clock, without the choir.

The customary children's carol service with presentation of the advent offering was held at St. Paul's Church yesterday, the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, officiating with Miss Laura Covell accompanying the carols on the organ. Led by Miss Merle Scates, the primary department sang "Away in a Manger." Marcia Drummond and Linda Loustalot sang a duet "Baby Sleeping in a Manger" and Loleta Hindman recited a Christmas poem. In presenting the offering and distributing the candy, H. W. Kelly, superintendent, was assisted by members of the high school boy's class. The cross and flag bearers were Charles Holson, John Hindman and Thomas Holson.

Members of the Alta Guild and St. Margaret's Guild decorated the church Saturday afternoon, the Young People's Fellowship having decorated the tree.

Large crowds shared the annual Christmas eve service Tuesday night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Celebrations of holy communion were held this morning at 8 and 11 o'clock with the rector, the Reverend William E. Patrick, in charge.

AT THE PATRICKS

Recent guests at the home of the Reverend William E. Patrick, 725 Holtby Road, this last week were Ensign James W. Haggard, U. S. N., of the U. S. S. "Vestal," now at San Pedro from Honolulu and the Reverend Aubrey O. Bray, vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Taft. Also home for the holidays were Lloyd A. Patrick, who started back yesterday for his station at Fort Stevens, Oregon, and Miss Eleanor Patrick, senior at the University of California, who returned to Berkeley.

Mrs. Ed Miller Is Seated President Church Guild

MRS. ED MILLER was installed as president of St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church last night with the Reverend William E. Patrick as the installing officer and Mrs. Arthur J. Wright as marshal. Others seated were Mrs. T. W. Holson, vice-president; Miss Nora Trafton, secretary; and Miss Elizabeth Hammond, treasurer.

At the meeting members brought donations of food and money for a family to be aided over the holiday season. The later hours were spent in the enjoyment of a Christmas party, with Chinese checkers and bridge as the main diversions. Refreshments were served. The hall was beautifully decorated by Miss Helen Plaum.

Services Announced at St. Paul's Church

Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. Paul's Episcopal Church tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, the occasion being the semi-annual presentation of the "United Thank Offering," the missionary offering of the women throughout the Episcopal Church.

Those unable to attend the service tomorrow have been requested to send the contents of their missionary blue boxes to Mrs. Percy T. Neate, treasurer of St. Paul's Guild who is "U. T. O." custodian for St. Paul's parish.

Other meetings at St. Paul's tomorrow include an all-day sewing meeting of St. Paul's Guild; the rector's confirmation class at 4 o'clock; choir rehearsal at 7 and St. Margaret's Guild at 8 o'clock.

MEET TONIGHT

St. Paul's parishioners will hold their annual meeting in the Guild hall this evening at 8 o'clock to elect eight vestrymen as well as delegates to the annual diocesan convocation and annual meeting of the San Joaquin Church Service League. The Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, will preside. Reports of the treasurer and of the different parish societies will be read. Members of St. Paul's Guild and of St. Margaret's Guild will be hostesses for the social hour following the business meeting to which all adult members of the parish are invited.

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street
The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Second Sunday after Christmas, services as follows: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., Holy Communion and sermon. Corporate communion of the Young People's Fellowship at the early service. Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, (a) "Adorata" (Browski), (b) "Andante Cantabile" (Tschalkowski); processional hymn, "Son of God" (Cutler); "Kyrie Eleison," "Gloria Tibi," "Laus Tibi" (Gounod); hymn, "Jesus, Name of Wondrous Love" (Dykes); offertory anthem, "Break Forth Into Joy" (Ernest H. Smith); Doxology; "Sursum Corda," "Sanctus" (Gounod); "Gloria in Excelsis" (old chant); "Nunc Dimittis" (Anglican); recessional hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" (Croft); organ postlude by Mrs. Nichols, "March in C" (Volkman).

Rice-Wheeler Wedding

Miss Quetita Rice, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. Rice, 119 Washington street, Oildale, and John Wheeler Miller, the son of W. A. Wheeler of Burlington, Vermont, were married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 9 o'clock Sunday morning by the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector. The bride was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1940 and the bridegroom was educated in Vermont. He is employed by Southern California Gas Company, and has made his home here four years. The bridegroom's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Wheeler of 245 Jefferson street, attended them. The newlyweds will live on Washington street, Oildale.

St. Paul's Church Will Meet Mond

The annual parish meeting of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be held next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Reports of the parish treasurer, C. E. Wakefield, Jr., and of the various parochial organizations will be read, vestrymen elected for the ensuing year and delegates to the thirty-first annual convocation of San Joaquin to be held at Fresno January 21-23. Following the business session, members of St. Paul's Guild and St. Margaret's Guild will be hostesses.

Miss M. D. Gardett and Miss L. M. Sweitzer were given a birthday surprise at the last meeting of St. Paul's Guild.

British War Relief Workers Being Organized Saturday

TO FORM a local organization of the British War Relief Association, Mrs. Percy Cooke, 2015 Blanche street, has called a meeting of interested women at her home, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Election

plies and service woollens departments are bought at wholesale prices to supply groups, free of charge.

Economical Use

No scraps left from hospital supplies is wasted. Ward slippers, hot-water bottle covers, mine-sweeper gloves, blankets and other objects are pieced together from the scraps and stretcher covers are made from silk stockings and bright afghans from odd bits of wool. Knitted articles include pullovers, cardigans, helmets, scarfs, socks, mittens, wristlets and bed socks.

Discussing ways to help, as outlined by the headquarters, Mrs. Cooke today mentioned seven points: donations, pledges, benefit events, time and energy, gifts of material to be made into garments or outright gifts of raincoats, galoshes, dressing gowns, bed-linen, torchlights with refills and other useful objects, and finally, gold and silver articles and tinfoil to be sold.

Many Sacrifices

Articles disposed of last week at a downtown store in San Francisco for the benefit of this association included an Irish lace wedding veil, a Belgian lace wedding veil, four fine pictures and a set of Doulton British china.

A novel recipe book will be available soon, for sale; it is said to be a particularly pleasing Christmas gift.

Mrs. Cook is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. C. R. St. Aubyn, vice-president, who congratulates Bakersfield upon its enterprise in organizing and offers full support.



CALIFORNIA — Photo by Roemers

Mrs. Percy Cooke

will be held, committees appointed and work launched. Weekly meetings will follow in the Guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

To Co-ordinate Efforts

The organization originally was formed to co-ordinate the efforts of those working for the relief of war distress and for the practical solution of the problems of collection and distribution of funds and the handling and transportation of goods.

The association is run on an entirely voluntary basis. There are no membership fees. The organization depends on the monthly donations of people who take this means of helping and on funds raised by means of benefits, sales and collection boxes. Materials used in the hospital sup-

St. Paul Church Vestrymen Are Reorganized at Meeting

TWO new members, T. W. Holson and William Brady, were added to the vestry of St. Paul's Episcopal Church at the annual meeting of the parish held in the Guild hall last evening. The retiring vestrymen, Dr. Fred J. Crease and Charles E. Wakefield, Jr., were tendered a rising vote of thanks. Messrs. W. A. Alexander, H. W. Kelly, J. S. Kirkendall, W. E. Peterson, G. E. Stanfield and F. S. Wheeler were re-elected. The Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, presided.

Chosen Delegates

H. W. Kelly, T. W. Holson, Dr. Fred J. Crease and J. S. Kirkendall were chosen delegates to the thirty-first annual convocation of San Joaquin to be held in Fresno, January 21-23, with the following as alternates: G. E. Stanfield, Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., Miss Margaret D. Gardett and Mrs. Percy T. Neate. Messrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., and Walter E. Peterson and Mrs. Esther Campbell served as tellers.

Mesdames E. Miller, Ed Rose, P. T. Neate, Heber Kelly and T. W. Holson were selected as delegates to the annual meeting of the Diocesan Church Service League to be held

in Fresno, January 21-23 at the same time as convocation. Mesdames C. E. Wakefield, Jr., William E. Patrick, Ben F. Cooper, W. A. Alexander and W. E. Peterson were named alternate delegates. G. E. Stanfield, Dr. A. M. Tuttle and Miss Belle Foster acted as tellers.

Annual Report

Annual reports were presented by Mr. Wakefield, parish treasurer for the last 12 years; H. W. Kelly, church school superintendent; Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., Altar Guild president; Mrs. Fred W. Keller, St. Paul's Guild secretary; Miss Norah Trafton and Miss Elizabeth Hammond, secretary and treasurer respectively of St. Margaret's Guild, and the Reverend William E. Patrick for the Young People's Fellowship.

In making his annual parochial report the rector announced that it was the opinion of Bishop L. C. Sanford and the vestry that no arrangements for pulpit supply should be made until the actual calling out of his national guard regiment which has been deferred to March.

Following the tribute of the rector in his report to the 23 years' service of Miss Margaret D. Gardett and the 20 years' service of Mrs. W. B. Lyons, who retired last June from their respective positions of superintendent of the church school and head of the primary department, the meeting passed a rising vote of thanks and appreciation.

The evening concluded with a social hour, a joint committee of St. Paul's and St. Margaret's guilds acting as hostesses, Mrs. Percy T. Neate, chairman.

Meetings tomorrow include an all day meeting of St. Paul's Guild; confirmation class at 4 o'clock and choir

FORT LEWIS DUTIES KEEPING CAPTAIN PATRICK BUSY

DUTIES as chaplain of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, Fort Lewis, Wash., are keeping Captain W. E. "Bill" Patrick quite busy visiting boys who are ill and making the rounds of the camp, cheering homesick lads.

Writing his wife, Mrs. Una Patrick, Bakersfield, Captain Patrick disclosed that Lieutenant Frank Miles was among officers recently released from the fort's hospital, and that he had visited also Captain Stewart of Battery C, Corporal Gilkeson, Battery A, and Corporal Benfield, Battery B, who is now back on duty.

Captain Patrick also mentioned seeing Privates Tolin, Rossi, Baker, Dunn and M. Rothwell of Fellows; First Sergeant Pulaski, Hamilton, of D battery, Privates Wulfin, Howell, Barry and J. J. Rothwell.

"Burns of Headquarters Battery, cut his hand doing K. P. duty. He is from Bakersfield," he writes.

Private Metcalf, Battery E; Elwyn Ross of H street, Bakersfield, and Miss Loretta Lrimer, former Kern General Hospital nurse, were other local people he has seen.

Apparently "upper respiratory infection" is the most common cause for hospitalizing local soldiers at Fort Lewis, Captain Patrick writes. He speaks of seeing Sergeant Huebler, Bakersfield, Eaton of Battary B, Koehler, Battery C, Farrar of Battery D, Corporals Pace and Hunt, Private Leskrige and Summefeld.

"I ran into Private Leibhart, reg. hq. battery, Blalock of D. Gave Private Bland a letter to give Corporal Fore of Bakersfield. Bland had not received any mail and today I took some over to his ward only to find he had returned to duty today," Captain Patrick writes.

Others who have been ill include Privates Ralph Allen, Anton Barrett, Goodwin, Sergeant Thomas Hall, Staff Sergeant Watts, Andy Smith, Davies, Johnston, Pete Martinez, Bakersfield, "who had his appendix out."

"Sergeant Trubey of Hq., Second Battalion, called me about a wedding later, so I have about three weddings lined up, Lt. Hysom's, Mr. Logan's and Sergeant Trubey's," the letter reads.

"Lieutenants Donnelly and Duck were in my office to read The Times. It is quite a habit for a number of the brethren to drop in and look over my newspapers. Captain Kotick was around. I took some snapshots as the day was fine. Lieutenant Fox wanted to get one to send his mother."

Captain Patrick mentions the terrific toll the common cold has taken at Fort Lewis, as many as 10 officers from his battalion being hospitalized at one time. Apparently the illness brought on by wet weather confines the men and officers to the hospital for days at a time, and they have relapses occasionally.

Between visiting sick men and officers, Captain Patrick must make trips to nearby parishes as guest chaplain, deliver mail to those ill and circulating through many departments of camp life to keep the men's spirit cheerful.

British War Relief Group to Convene

Mrs. W. E. Patrick and Mrs. R. L. Perry will act as hostesses when British War Relief Association holds its regular meeting Friday afternoon at St. Paul's Guild hall, corner of Seventeenth and I streets. The hall will be open from 1 to 5 o'clock. All interested women are invited. The association is an American organization registered with the state department and donations are exempt from income tax.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seventeenth at I street
Fourth Sunday in Lent the Very Rev. Lincoln Vercos will have charge of the services, as follows: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; church school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and Litany at 11 o'clock; music at the 11 o'clock service as follows: Organ prelude (a) "Adoration" from "The Holy City" (Gaul); (b) "Ave Marie" (Schubert); processional hymn, "Lead Us Heavenly Father" (plain chant); "Venite" chant (Goodman); "Te Deum," set (Woodward); "Benedictus," chant (Hopkins); "Litany Hymn" (Carr); offertory, anthem, "The King of Love" (Shelley); recessional hymn, "Through the Night of Doubt and Sorrow" (Barnaby); organ postlude, "Pilgrims' Chorus" (Wagner). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street
The Very Reverend Lincoln Vercos will have charge of services. Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; church school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Music at the 11 o'clock service as follows: Organ prelude, (a) "Lenten Supplication" (Dittrich); (b) "Contemplation" (Saint-Saens); processional hymn, "Brightly Gleams Our Banner" (Smart); Venite, Anglican chant (Tomlinson); Benedictus Es Domine, Anglican chant (Woodward); Benedictus, "O God of chant (Hopkins); sermon hymn, "The Love" (Baker); offertory, anthem, "Radiant Morn" (Woodward); recessional hymn, "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" (Haydn); organ postlude, "Andante Serioso" (Kotelbey). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

Guild Receives Bid to Tea at Paytons

St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday at 2 o'clock at the Guild hall with Mrs. L. H. Payton presiding.

On Thursday Mrs. Payton is inviting members to her home, 501 Woodward street, Oildale, for a "scrap tea," the idea being that participants will bring scraps usable for bazaar articles in the fall. "A yard of material, scraps of ruffling or bits for potholders are typical of usable remnants," the hostess said.

DINNER SCHEDULED

At today's meeting of St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, plans were completed for a roast beef dinner to be served from 5:30 to 7 o'clock, Thursday evening, for the benefit of a fund to buy a stove for the hall's kitchen.

Plans also were made today for a pre-Easter cooked food sale April 12. Mrs. L. H. Payton presided.

The dinner will feature roast beef, and all that goes with it, according to the menu committee, headed by Mrs. Sam Purdie.

GUILD TO MEET

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Heber Kelly, 31 Flower street. Mrs. E. Miller, president, said an important matter will be brought before guild members for their consideration. Refreshments will be served by the hostesses after the business meeting.

PATRICK RESIGNS ST. PAUL'S POST

Rector Gives Up Position
Because of "Indefinite"
Date of Army Release

The Reverend William E. Patrick today submitted to the wardens and vestrymen his resignation as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Seventeenth at I streets, because, "Recent world events will undoubtedly make very indefinite the date of release from military service of those who are temporarily on active duty in the army of the United States."

The Reverend Patrick is serving as chaplain of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, California National Guard, now stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash.

"Mindful of this uncertainty and deeply conscious of the need of continuity of pastoral leadership in the parish," the rector's letter said, "I hereby submit my resignation as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, effective April 15, 1941."

"With sincere regret at thus officially severing the ties of 16 years' association, I bespeak God's richest blessing upon the men, women and children of the parish."

The Reverend Patrick gave up active duties as rector in January, departing Bakersfield in February when the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery contingent went to Fort Lewis.

TO SERVE DINNER

A roast beef dinner will be served in the Guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Thursday evening of this week by members of St. Paul's Guild of the church, with Mrs. Sam Purdie as chairman. An excellent menu is planned, and the general public is invited. Serving will continue from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry E. Starkey is chairman of tables and decorations, Mrs. Ed Rose of waitresses and Miss Margaret Gardett and Mrs. Millie Munsey of tickets.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street

Palm Sunday

Services: holy communion, 8 a. m. Church school, 9:45; choral benediction of holy communion at 11 a. m. Order of 11 o'clock service: organ prelude (a) "The Palms" (Faure); (b) "Laudate Dominum" (Sheldon). Setting of Mozart's Twelfth Mass adapted for Episcopal communion service by E. W. Read, will be sung to the "Threefold Kyrie." Read, will be sung to the "Laus Tibi," "Sursum Corda," "Sanctus," and "Agnus Dei." The "Gloria in Excelsis" will be sung to the "Old Chant." Processional hymn, "All Glory Laud and Honor" (Teschner); sermon, "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" (Parkey); offertory, Palm Sunday anthem, "All Hail The Power of Jesus Name" (Barnby); presentation of alms, "All Things Come of Thee" (Beethoven); communion hymn, "Draw Nigh and Take" (Brown); "Nunc Dimittis," new pointing chant (Barnby); recessional hymn, "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" (Silver). The organ postlude, "Jubilata Deo" (Silver). The Reverend Lincoln Vercos will be in charge of the services. Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

COMMANDERS ARE HONOR GUESTS AT LEGION

TWO Hundred fifty legionnaires and their wives gathered in the Legion hall last night to honor past commanders of Frank S. Reynolds Post No. 26 and past presidents of the auxiliary unit. A dinner preceded the session.

Dave Chernis, chairman of the arrangements committee, acted as master of ceremonies and introduced distinguished guests and called on past commanders and presidents.

Past commanders who attended were Howard Nichols, Leonard Hall, Leslie Robinson, George L. Henderson, Paul Slaughter, William L. Bradshaw, John F. Watts, Wesley Waldon, Paul B. Malone, Jr. Wayne Nelson is commander of the post.

Past presidents of the auxiliary present included Mesdames Dora Hoskins, John Watts, William Patrick, Thomas Lockett, William Madill, John Isaac, Homer Humble, Wayne Nelson, A. W. Kabes, Henry Powell, George Dixon, Mrs. Mabel Anglin is president this year.

Major Malone was presented with a past commanders medal by Harry Paulden, fifteenth district commander. During the evening Ray Carlisle, chairman of the march of dimes dance, announced that a "dime dance" will be held this year on the President's birthday and that men must pay 10 cents for each dance.

Guests of honor included Mr. Paulden, Major Malone, the Reverend William E. Patrick, Major Charles Wakefield and Staff Sergeant Earl Smith of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery; Major K. C. McGregor and Captain T. J. DuBose, Seventy-ninth School Squadron now training at the airport, and Sheriff John Louslatot.

Music during dinner was presented by Misses Helen Lee and Ruth Whitley, who played numbers on the vibraphone and marimba. Songs were also sung by the double trio from the Legion auxiliary.

Members of the trio are Mesdames Dave Chernis, Homer Humble, Grant Clayton, Dwight Crawford and Mabel Anglin. Mrs. Maxine Clayton accompanied the group.

Included on the committee arranging the affair were Roy Nesbitt, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Humble and Mrs. Doris Powell.

LEGION HONORS FORMER CHIEFS



With two leaders of the Seventy-ninth School Squadron in attendance, the Frank S. Reynolds Post, American Legion, honored past commanders last night. In the picture, left to right, are Major Paul B. Malone, commander of the First Battalion, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery; Captain William Patrick, Harry Paulden, Wayne Nelson, present Legion commander; Mrs. Mabel Anglin, auxiliary president; David Chernis, Major K. C. McGregor, commander of the Seventy-ninth; Captain T. J. DuBose of the Seventy-ninth; Ray Lobre and L. Chesmore. The marimbists are Helen Lee and Ruth Whitley.

Wilson Rites Are Planned Thursday

Services for John Wilson, 78, well-known resident of Bakersfield, who died at his home, 1826 Seventeenth street, this morning, will be held Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the Payne & Son chapel with the Reverend William E. Patrick officiating.

A native of England, Mr. Wilson, who was a retired master mechanic, lived in Bakersfield and Kern county 31 years, in the United States 54 years. Mr. Wilson was employed by the Standard Oil Company until his retirement 14 years ago. He was in charge of installing thousands of miles of pipe line and pumping systems in California and in other states and possessed a wide circle of friends throughout this state.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary in 1933 in Bakersfield. He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, a member of the Masonic lodge and Knights Templar. Oil City, Pa. He was a life member of the Shriners of Erie, Pa.

He leaves his wife, Mary A. Wilson, Bakersfield; his son, William J. Wilson, Bakersfield; his daughters, Mrs. A. L. Johnson and Mrs. John A. Gault, Bakersfield, and Mrs. Harriet A. Stone, Beverly Hills; his grandchildren, Mrs. A. L. Huskey, Miss Adrianna Johnson and Mrs. L. E. Mayes, Bakersfield, Miss Patricia Stone, Beverly Hills and Mrs. Salvatore Santaella, Hollywood; and five great-grandchildren.

Rector, Delegates to Attend Meeting

The thirty-first annual convocation of the Protestant Episcopal missionary district of San Joaquin will open its session tomorrow morning with a corporate communion at St. James' Cathedral, Fresno. The Right Reverend Louis C. Sanford, D. D., will preside. Miss Maud Williams of Stockton, president of the Diocesan Church Service League, which will hold a meeting at the same time, will preside at the women's sessions. The Reverend William E. Patrick and part of the delegates left this morning to attend a pre-convention educational conference this afternoon, the rest of the local delegates leaving tomorrow morning.

St. Paul's Church organizations meeting tomorrow include St. Paul's Guild, an all-day meeting; choir rehearsal at 7 and St. Margaret's Guild at 8 o'clock. Because of convocation the weekly confirmation class will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock instead of tomorrow afternoon.

GUILD TO MEET

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will hold a regular meeting in the Guild hall of the church Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Mrs. T. W. Holson, vice-president, will preside in the absence of Mrs. Edward Miller, president, who is attending convention meetings in Fresno this week. Mrs. W. A. Alexander and Miss Mary Ashe will act as hostesses during the social hour.

Many Events for St. Paul's Group

Speakers at the weekly meeting of St. Paul's Guild yesterday afternoon were Mrs. Ed Miller, new president of St. Margaret's Guild, and the Reverend William E. Patrick. Mrs. Miller announced that St. Margaret's Guild's plans include a card party February 11 and a series of monthly jitney dinners beginning Tuesday, January 28.

The Reverend Mr. Patrick spoke of the forthcoming convocation of the San Joaquin district at Fresno, January 21-23, and urged an attendance of visitors as well as the official delegates to convocation and the Diocesan Service League. The rector also announced that the Right Reverend Louis Childs Sanford, D. D., would visit the parish on Sunday evening, February 11, to administer confirmation and that the wardens and vestrymen would be hosts at a reception to Bishop and Mrs. Sanford in the guild hall following the service.

The retiring president, Mrs. Burton F. Covell, opened the meeting, turning over the gavel to Mrs. Lyman H. Payton, the newly elected president, to close the meeting. Other officers for 1941 are Mrs. Ed Rose, vice-president; Mrs. W. A. Alexander, secretary, and Mrs. Percy T. Neate, treasurer.

The new officers chosen for St. Margaret's Guild are Mrs. Ed Miller as president; Mrs. T. W. Holson, vice-president; Miss Nora Trafton, secretary, and Miss Elizabeth Hammond, treasurer.

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street

The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Third Sunday after the Epiphany, services as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and address on "The Convocation" by the rector; 7 p. m., Young People's Fellowship at the McFadden home, 2205 Niles street. Order of service: Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols. (a) "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan). (b) "Song of Faith" (Mueller); processional hymn, "The Morn-

ing Light is Breaking" (Vebb); Venite, Gloria Tibi (Anglican chant); hymn, "Woodward"; Jubilate (Anglican); hymn, "Thou, Whose Almighty Word" (Gardner); offertory anthem, "Arise, Shine" (Maker); with soprano solo, Mrs. E. (other Campbell); Doxology (Old Hundred); hymn, "Alleluia, Song of G" (plain chant); organ postlude, "G" and Choeur in D" (Spence).

St. Paul's Guild Leader Honored

Mrs. B. F. Covell, retiring president of St. Paul's Guild, was honored yesterday at a tea in the Guild hall of the Episcopal Church. She received a book of devotions from the membership. Hostesses were Mesdames W. A. Alexander, Percy T. Neate, Ed Rose and L. H. Payton. Mrs. O. C. App and Miss Margaret D. Gardett poured. The first business meeting for February will be held next Wednesday. Under auspices of the wardens and vestrymen and other parochial organizations, a reception will be given at the guild hall for the Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wakefield, Jr., from 8 to 10 o'clock. Members of the parish and friends of the community are cordially invited.

TO HOLD DINNER

At a recent meeting of St. Margaret's Guild plans were completed for a jitney dinner to be served in the guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Tuesday evening, January 28, at 5:30 o'clock.

Mrs. T. W. Holson, chairman of the committee, announced that baked ham with candied yams and spaghetti with meat balls will be included on the menu. Mrs. A. J. Wright is chairman of the committee which is arranging a dessert bridge party to be held in the Guild hall February 11 at 1 o'clock, and reservations may be made for both contract and auction tables. It was decided to hold a rummage sale early in March.

List Activities at St. Paul's Church

St. Margaret's Guild will hold a jitney supper this evening beginning at 5:30 o'clock in St. Paul's Guild hall. Tomorrow St. Paul's Guild will hold an all-day sewing meeting. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock the rector's confirmation class will meet. At 7 o'clock the choir will hold its weekly rehearsal. The parish reception for Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., and the Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick, originally planned for Thursday evening, will be held in the Guild hall on Friday evening of this week.

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street

The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
First Sunday after the Epiphany, services as follows: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; subject, "They Departed . . . Another Way." 7 p. m., Young People's Fellowship. Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols. (a) "Ave Maria" (Schubert). (b) "Andante in G" (Battiste); processional hymn, "Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning" (Harding); Venite, Benedictus es, Jubilate (Anglican Chants); hymn, "O One With God the Father" (Barnby); offertory anthem, "Send Out Thy Light"; Doxology; recessional hymn, "As With Gladness, Men of Old" (Harper); "Postlude" (Harris).

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street

The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Second Sunday after the Epiphany, services as follows: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., ante-communion, litany and sermon by the rector. Order of music: Prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist. (a) "Jubilate Deo" (Silver). (b) "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn); processional hymn, "Thy Kingdom Come, O Lord" (Hayden); "Kyrie" (short), Gloria Tibi, Laus Tibi (Tallis); litany hymn, "Saviour, When in Dust to Thee" (Carr); hymn, "Watchman, Tell Us of the Night" (Lowell Mason); offertory anthem, "Incline Thine Ear" (Himmel) with also solo by Miss Laura Covell; Doxology; recessional hymn, "Songs of Thanksgiving and Praise" (Bach); postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Lemmens).

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ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Seventeenth at I Street
Holy communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Holy communion and sermon by The Very Reverend Lincoln Vercoe.

St. Paul's Guild Meets Wednesday

St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet all day Wednesday at the guild hall for sewing and quilting. Mrs. L. E. Payton will conduct the business hour and luncheon will be served at noon for the members. At 2 o'clock Miss Maude Metcalf and Mrs. C. E. Wakefield will speak on the altar linens and brasses of St. Paul's Church, presenting some of the interesting history back of several of the pieces.

A pre-Easter food sale will be planned for Saturday at Safeway store, corner of California and Chester, with Miss M. Sweitzer in charge, and arrangements will be discussed for a garden party April 30 at the home of Mrs. A. M. Tuttle on Oleander avenue.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, EPISCOPAL
Seventeenth at I Street
Easter Sunday services: Holy communion, 7:30 a. m. Church school, 9:30 o'clock. Choral communion and sermon, 11 a. m. The Very Rev. Lincoln Vercoe will have charge of the services and will preach at the 11 o'clock service. Music at 11 o'clock service, Eyre's communion office in E flat will be sung to the "Kyrie," "Gloria Tibi," "Laus Tibi," "Sursum Corda," "Sanctus" and "Agnus Dei." Processional hymn, "Come Ye Faithful" (Sullivan); sermon hymn, "Welcome Happy Morning" (Sullivan); communion hymn, "Now My Tongue the Mystery Telling" (Wade); recessional hymn, "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" (Lyra Davidica); "Gloria in Excelsis" (old chant); "Nunc Dimittis" (Barnby); offertory anthem, "Rejoice the Lord is King" (Mendelssohn); organ music: Prelude (a), "Easter Spring Song" (Edmondson) (b), "March" (Andrews) (c), "Easter Morning" (Mallings); postlude, "Cristo Triumfante" (Pietro Yon); Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Seventeenth at I Street
Holy communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Morning prayer and Litany with sermon by the Very Reverend Lincoln Vercoe, Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

Guild to Convene Wednesday Night

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the guild hall. Mrs. E. Miller will preside. Mrs. Heber Kelly has been appointed chairman of a committee to serve a cafeteria dinner in the guild hall April 15.

Guild Will Plan Benefit Affair

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will hold its meeting at the Guild hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Plans will be discussed for a dinner to be served by members of St. Paul's Guild to raise money for a stove which was purchased for the Guild hall. Mrs. Ed Miller will preside. Refreshments will be served during the social hour.

St. Paul's Guild to Sponsor Garden Dessert Fete

SMART functions of late April include the garden fete and dessert bridge party to be given by St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, April 30. The affair will be held on the lawn at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Tuttle, 226 Oleander avenue.

Mrs. Ed Rose is the general chairman of arrangements. May Day decorations are planned, with Mrs. Claude Wykes and Mrs. L. A. Payton in charge of this phase of the preparations. Persons not wishing to participate in the games are invited to bring needlework or knitting.

GUILD TO CONVENE
A regular meeting of St. Paul's Guild will be held Wednesday all day at the Guild hall. Quilting and sewing are planned. At the tea hour, Mrs. H. B. Elbert and Mrs. Charles Holson will act as hostesses.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Seventeenth and I Street
First Sunday after Easter. Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Church school, 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon by the Very Reverend Lincoln Vercoe at 11 a. m. Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.



Mrs. Ed Rose

Chairman
DESPITE rain and last minute change of location, Wednesday's dessert party and afternoon of cards sponsored by St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church at the guild hall proved an unusually successful affair. Mrs. Ed Rose was general chairman of arrangements. Mrs. Percy Neate was the refreshments chairman.

Twenty-one tables were filled for play and many other guests spent the hours at needlework. Mrs. A. M. Tuttle, who had groomed her lovely garden on Oleander avenue for the occasion, brought many of the flowers to the guild hall and the tables were centered with Maypoles cleverly fashioned by Mrs. Claude Wykes and Mrs. L. A. Peyton. The next benefit of the guild will be a chicken dinner May 15, with Mrs. Harry Starkey as the chairman. Mrs. C. W. Holson and Mrs. C. K. Badga won score prizes and table awards were given at each table.

FAREWELL TONIGHT FOR PATRICK AND WAKEFIELD

MEMBERS of St. Paul's Episcopal Church and other friends of the Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick and Major and Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., will assemble in St. Paul's Guild hall this evening from 8 to 10 o'clock at a public reception in their honor. In the receiving line besides those honored will be W. A. Alexander, senior warden of St. Paul's Church, and Mrs. Alexander and Glen E. Stanfield, junior warden, and Mrs. Stanfield. Arrangements are under the direction of Mrs. Lyman H. Payton, president of St. Paul's Guild, and Mrs. E. Miller, president of St. Margaret's Guild. The hall is decorated with spring flowers and two members each of the Altar Guild, St. Paul's Guild, St. Margaret's Guild and St. Paul's choir will act as hostesses. The girls' trio from the choir, the Misses Ruth Campbell, Laura Covell and Helen Pauli, accompanied by Mrs. Nichols, will furnish the entertainment.

Major Wakefield, who is executive officer of the first battalion, One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, and Captain Patrick, who is the regimental chaplain, will be inducted into the federal service next Monday and expect to leave for Fort Lewis, Wash., before the middle of February. The Reverend Mr. Patrick has completed nearly 16 years service as rector of St. Paul's Church and Major Wakefield has served the parish as treasurer for the past 12 years.

Rector and Parishioner Are Honored at Big Reception

A LARGE number of friends assembled in the Guild Hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church last evening to honor the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector of St. Paul's Church for the past 16 years, and Major Charles E. Wakefield, Jr., active member of the parish since 1925 and for 12 years parish treasurer, who on next Monday will be inducted into the federal service as regimental chaplain and executive officer of the First Battalion, One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, respectively. In the receiving line were Mr. W. A. Alexander, senior warden, and Mrs. Alexander; Glen E. Stanfield, junior warden, and Mrs. Stanfield; Major and Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr.; Captain and Mrs. William E. Patrick and Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Peterson.

Gifts Presented

As senior member of St. Paul's vestry, Mr. Alexander spoke in appreciation of the services of the rector and retiring treasurer, and on behalf of the wardens and vestrymen, the Altar Guild, St. Paul's choir, St. Paul's Guild and St. Margaret's Guild presented Major Wakefield with a pen and pencil set and Captain Patrick with a wrist watch, for which the two officers made appropriate responses of thanks.

Mr. Alexander then called upon Alfred Harrell, the Reverend John Murdoch, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, the Reverend Grover Ralston, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and Mrs. Marvin

H. Anglin, president of the American Legion Auxillary.

Mr. Harrell spoke of going to Santa Paula early in 1925 in company with J. A. Hughes and Dr. Fred J. Crease as a committee of the vestry to investigate the Reverend William E. Patrick and said that the 16 years fine service the latter had rendered the parish and in the community had vindicated the committee's original recommendation. Mr. Harrell also said that the administration of the parish finances by Mr. Wakefield had been invaluable to the parish. The other speakers voiced the esteem of the community, regret at the approaching departure and pride in being able to furnish men of their experience to the type of work to which they have been summoned.

St. Paul's choir provided a short musical program with numbers by the girls' trio, the Misses Ruth Campbell, Laura Covell and Helen Pauli and baritone solos by Ralph L. Patrick, accompanied by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, the church organist.

Mrs. E. Miller, president of St. Margaret's Guild and Mrs. Lyman H. Payton, president of St. Paul's Guild, were in general charge of hospitality, assisted by Mesdames Ed Rose and W. A. Alexander and Miss Elizabeth Hammond. Mrs. Percy T. Neate, Miss Margaret D. Gardett, Miss Nora Trafton and Mesdames Esther Campbell, Ben E. Cooper and A. L. Johnson relayed each other in pouring tea and coffee.

National Guard Examinations Slated for Officers

By WILLIAM MOSES

FINAL physical examinations for officers of "Bakersfield's Own" One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery will be taken Thursday at Fort MacArthur, it was announced today by Major Charles E. Wakefield, Jr.

Officers to have final physical checkups include Battalion Commander Major Paul B. Malone, Jr., Major Wakefield, Captains O. F. Kotick and W. E. Patrick, and Lieutenants Frank Miles, B. M. Johnson, C. A. Tidd, K. E. Thomas, William T. Baldwin and Howard A. Duck.

An army medical board is scheduled to arrive in Bakersfield next week to give last-minute physical examinations to 164 enlisted men in the three batteries, it was disclosed.

Meanwhile, plans are being completed to induct officers and enlisted men of the One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery into active duty on February 3. Shortly afterwards, the unit is slated to leave for Fort Lewis, Wash., for an active duty tour.

An announcement from Ninth Corps Area headquarters indicated that the Bakersfield contingent would be part of a large troop movement to Fort Lewis during February.

More than half of the 26,375 selective service men who will be drafted in the corps area during the period beginning February 17 will be sent to Fort Lewis and adjacent Camp Murray, it was announced.

The two Washington encampments will receive 13,974. Ford Ord and the Monterey Presidio in California will receive 2363; the San Francisco Presidio, 1768, and Camp Haan, Riverside, 1612.

Other quotas include the Eleventh Cavalry, Imperial, Calif., 728; harbor defenses of the Columbia, Fort Stevens, Ore., 424; Vancouver Barracks, Wash., 400; and first armored corps at Fort Knox, Ky., and Fort Benning, Ga., 736.

The 26,375 will include both selectees from the Ninth Corps Area and men sent for training from the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Corps Areas.

DIMON TO DIRECT RED CROSS FOR ANOTHER YEAR

RENAMING A. C. Dimon, as chapter chairman, 30 members of the Bakersfield Red Cross chapter last night adopted bylaws, heard committee reports and elected officers and directors at the chapter's annual meeting.

Budget requests were submitted by committee chairman, but action on budget allotments was deferred.

Officers who will guide the chapter during the coming year are Mr. Dimon, James K. Thrasher, first vice-chairman; Mrs. W. H. Jahant, Wasco, second vice-chairman, and C. N. Hislop, treasurer. Miss Shirley Hendsch will continue as executive secretary.

Board of directors members are Mr. Dimon, Mrs. Jahant, Mr. Hislop, Mr. Thrasher, Mrs. Mabel Dodge, Mrs. W. B. Lyons, Carlton Minner, R. T. Neideffer, Judge W. L. Bradshaw, T. N. Harvey, Paul C. Newell, the Reverend John Murdoch, Harold Witham, Mrs. Nellie Denslow, George Crome, J. W. Heard, Jr., the Reverend W. E. Patrick, Charles E. Baer, J. B. Haralson, Dr. T. L. Nelson, Charles H. Phillips, Miss Elsie McGovern, Mrs. Lester Cash, Mrs. Archer Warne and Miss Martha Wall, all of Bakersfield.

Harold Marshall, Delano; Mrs. C. C. Jewell, Randsburg; Miss Genevieve Cauzza, Bakersfield; C. E. Gann, Oildale; Mrs. A. Blickenstaff, McFarland; Judge W. R. Mattox, Mojave; Orville Heimforth, Wasco; Mrs. J. C. Ohanneson, Shafter, and R. L. Thayer, Arvin.

Will Resign

Major Wakefield to Give Up School Board Post

MAJOR Charles E. Wakefield, Jr., president of the city school board, announced today he will resign as a member of the board when Bakersfield's National Guard unit, of which he is first battalion executive officer, leaves for service at Fort Lewis, Wash., probably about the middle of February. Major Wakefield added that he had not yet decided whether he will tender his resignation at the board meeting Thursday, February 13, or wait until the national guard receives moving orders.

Major Wakefield's term on the board expires April 30. He has served as board president two years and as a member of the board for four years.

Term of Sam Dye also expires in April. Election of two members will be held April 8 along with the city election.

Year of Service

Guardsmen to Be Mobilized February 3

MONDAY morning, February 3, will mark the start of a year of army life for nearly 200 Bakersfield National Guardsmen, when they are mobilized in camp at the Kern County Fairgrounds for their year of training in the United States Army. The guardsmen will remain at the fairgrounds until February 14, when they will leave for Fort Lewis, Wash.

Members of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery regiment, the Bakersfield troops are members of the first battalion, commanded by Major Paul B. Malone, Jr. Headquarters of the regiment is at Santa Barbara, where Colonel Ralph W. Coane is in command.

Order Issued

Orders setting mobilization date for the One Hundred Forty-fourth were issued January 16 from the war department. The order will call 18,250 national guardsmen from nine states and the District of Columbia to service Monday.

Bakersfield's guard members will be under military discipline at the fairgrounds until they leave for Fort Lewis, where they will be stationed during their training period.

Readiness of facilities for housing and training the troops was revealed by Major Malone the day the orders were issued, when he said that a guard officer returning from Sacramento had reported Fort Lewis camp facilities completed and ready for occupancy.

Miss Metcalf to Be Speaker at Guild Meeting

MISS Maude Metcalf will speak at the regular meeting of St. Paul's Guild of the Episcopal Church in the Guild hall Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. According to recent announcement by Mrs. L. H. Payton, president, the first and third Wednesdays of the month will be business sessions, with special speakers followed by afternoon tea. Mrs. H. B. Elbert, hostess chairman for the season, has selected Mrs. O. C. App and Mrs. A. C. Burnham as tea hostesses for tomorrow. The all-day sewing meetings will be held each Wednesday.

In preparation for the annual visitation of the Right Reverend Louis C. Sanford, D. D., Bishop of San Joaquin, next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, will hold his final confirmation class at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

St. Paul's choir will rehearse Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

For Reverend, Mrs. Patrick

The Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick were honored yesterday at a luncheon given by local ministers at Hotel El Tejon. The Reverend Mr. Patrick will leave Bakersfield on February 14 for Fort Lewis, Wash., where he will be chaplain with the One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery. He holds the rank of captain. Attending the luncheon were the Reverend Messrs. and Mesdames B. C. Barrett, Philip T. Dennis, Grover Ralston, John Murdoch, Rabbi and Mrs. Jack Levy and the Reverend A. S. Donat.

PRESENT SWEATERS TO 144TH



On behalf of the Bakersfield chapter of the American Red Cross, A. C. Dimon, left, presented to Major Paul B. Malone, Jr., of the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery of the national guard sweaters knitted by volunteer workers of the Red Cross. Scene at the armory shows portion of the 160 sweaters presented. In the picture are Mr. Dimon, Mrs. W. B. Lyons, Mrs. Eugene Thomas, the Reverend W. E. Patrick, guard chaplain, Major Malone and other members of the guard.

Speaker Heard on History of Church

Miss Maude Metcalf, who was confirmed on Bishop W. F. Nichols' first visit to St. Paul's Church, gave an interesting talk to the members of St. Paul's Guild yesterday afternoon on the various memorials in the old church and in the present building.

Mrs. L. H. Payton presided at the business session. The Reverend William E. Patrick, rector, announced that on the occasion of the visit of the Right Reverend Louis C. Sanford, D. D., for confirmation next Sunday evening at 7:30, the offering would be devoted to the British Missions Aid. Following the business meeting, afternoon tea was served by Mrs. O. C. App and Mrs. A. C. Burnham.

On Saturday morning the Young People's Fellowship will assemble at the guild hall at 7 o'clock to go on a snow trip to the mountains.

The rector, wardens and vestrymen will meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

Chaplain Patrick Honored by Lions

Honoring Captain William E. Patrick, chaplain of the One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery, the Bakersfield Lions Club today presented the well-known Episcopal minister with a leather traveling kit, a memento from fellow Lions.

Dr. Louis Packard, presiding vice-president, made the presentation in a short speech, commending Captain Patrick on his years of service with the club, the community and for his distinguished record in World War I.

Plans were announced for the annual ladies' night party slated for February 21 when music and merriment will be featured at the yearly dinner dance. Dr. Jack Nicholson, chairman of the committee on arrangements, urged all members to attend the function.

Local club members plan to attend a charter night celebration in Randsburg February 26 when the desert club installs officers.

British War Relief Workers Will Meet

The Reverend B. B. Baird, pastor of First Christian Church, will offer a prayer for peace at home and abroad at 3:30 o'clock in connection with a meeting of British War Relief Association, Bakersfield chapter, Friday, in St. Paul's Episcopal Church guild hall, from 1 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Percy C. Coke, president, is asking as many members as can be present at the prayer hour. Mrs. Earl Howe and Mrs. E. F. Cooter will be hostesses of the afternoon.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH (PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL)

Seventeenth at I Street
The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Septuagesima Sunday, services as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon by the rector; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer, the Rite of Confirmation and sermon by Bishop Sanford, followed by reception to the Bishop and Mrs. Sanford in the Guild hall. Music at the morning service: Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura Nichols, "Jubilato Deo," Springtime Sketch (Brewer); processional hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord" Williams; hymn, "Come, Thou Almighty King" (Giardini); offertory anthem, "Prayer of Thanksgiving" (old Dutch melody); recessional hymn, "Awake, My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve" (Handel); postlude, "Allegro Moderato" (Capocci). Evening program of service: Organ prelude by Mrs. Nichols, "Laude Dominum" (Shelton); "Adoration" (Borowski); processional hymn, "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" (Webb); confirmation hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Mason); offertory anthem, "Hark, Hark My Soul" (Shelley), alto solo by Miss Laura Covel with soprano obligato by Mrs. Esther Campbell; recessional hymn, "The Church's One Foundation" (Wesley); organ postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Lemmens).

Mrs. Nichols Gives Valentine Tea Here

Mrs. Laura E. Nichols entertained recently at a valentine tea at her home, 318 Eighteenth street. The valentine motif predominated in the appointments and the rooms were profusely decorated with spring flowers. A delightful musical program was given during the afternoon by Miss Laura Covel, Mrs. Esther Campbell, Mr. Ralph Patrick and Mr. Percy Neate.

The following were bidden to share the affair: The Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Neate, Mrs. Alyce McClure, Mrs. Ann Johnson, Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Mrs. Esther Campbell, Mrs. B. F. Cooper, Mrs. Florence E. Deabill, Mrs. W. B. Robb; Misses Norah Trafton, Belle Foster, Laura Covel, Helen Pauli, Elizabeth Hammond, Margaret Burton, Merle Scates, Gretchen Knieff, Helen Plaum, Ruth Campbell, Hazel Robb, and Mr. Ralph Patrick.

PLAN ALL DAY MEETING

St. Margaret's Guild will hold a regular meeting in the guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Ed Miller will preside. Mrs. W. J. Aston and Mrs. E. L. Burton will be hostesses. Members are sponsoring a dessert bridge party in the guild hall Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Guild Will Give Gala Card Fete

Tables will be placed for both auction and contract bridge when St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church receives at a dessert card party Tuesday, February 11, at 1 o'clock at the Guild hall. The public is invited.

No pains are being spared to make the affair an enjoyable one, according to Mrs. Arthur J. Wright, general chairman, who is being assisted by Mrs. C. E. Wakefield, Jr., Mrs. Walter E. Peterson, Mrs. Ben F. Cooper and Mrs. A. L. Johnson.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth at I Street

Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon at 11 o'clock conducted by the Right Reverend L. C. Sanford, bishop of San Joaquin. Prelude, "Cavatina" (Raff), "Deep River" (Gillette); processional hymn, "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"; sermon hymn, "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee"; offertory hymn, "O Worship the King"; recessional hymn, "On Our Way Rejoicing"; postlude, "Postlude" (Lefebvre-Wely). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth at Eye Streets

Holy communion at 8 o'clock. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock by the Right Reverend L. C. Sanford, bishop of San Joaquin. Organ prelude, "Recessional Spring" (Friml); "Jubilant Deo" (Silver). processional hymn, "Leo On, O King Eternal"; "Venite, O Come, Let Us Sing Unto the Lord"; Benedictus, Es, "Blessed Art Thou, O Lord, God of Our Fathers"; Jubilate Deo, "O Be Joyful in the Lord, All Ye Lands"; sermon hymn, "Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us"; offertory, "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"; recessional hymn, "Through the Night of Doubt and Sorrow"; postlude, "Grand Chorus in D." (Spence). Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth at I Street

Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. prayer and litany at 11 o'clock conducted by the Right Reverend L. C. Sanford, Bishop of San Joaquin. Organ prelude, "Fountain Reverie" (Fletcher). "Fanfare" (Whitmer); processional hymn, "When Morning Gilds the Skies"; three-fold Kyrie (Barnby); Gloria Tibi (Tallis); litany hymn, "Saviour, When in Dust to Thee"; sermon hymn, "The Hidden Love of God"; offertory, "O Worship the King"; recessional hymn, "Stand Up, Stand Up, for Jesus"; postlude, "March in C" (Volkmann). Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth at I Street

Holy communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. by the Reverend Carl R. Taylor. Organ prelude, (a) "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan); (b) "Larghetto, The Lost Chord" (Mozart); processional hymn, "O Saviour, Precious Saviour"; offertory, "O Come Let Us Sing Unto the Lord"; benedictus es, "Blessed Art Thou, O Lord God of Our Fathers"; jubilate deo, "O Be Joyful in the Lord All Ye Lands"; sermon hymn, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"; offertory, "Lead Us, Heavenly Father, Lead Us"; recessional hymn, "The Church's One Foundation"; postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Lemmens); Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth and Eye Streets

Holy communion at 8 o'clock. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock by the Reverend Carl R. Taylor. Organ prelude, "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan); "Larghetto, The Lost Chord" (Mozart); processional hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"; venite, "O Come, Let Us Sing Unto the Lord"; benedictus Es, "Blessed Art Thou, O Lord God of Our Fathers"; jubilate deo, "O Be Joyful in the Lord, All Ye Lands"; sermon hymn, "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"; offertory hymn, "Lead Us, O Father, in the Paths of Peace"; recessional hymn, "Jesus Shall Run Wherever the Sun"; organ postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Lemmens).

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth and I Streets

Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 by the Reverend Carl R. Taylor.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Sixteenth and I streets
The Reverend Carl R. Taylor of Los Angeles will conduct services for the fifteenth Sunday after Trinity as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Morning Church school, 9:45 a. m. Organ prayer and sermon, 11 o'clock. Organ prelude, "Priore a Notre Dame" (Boellman), "Adoration" (Borowski); processional, "Through the Night of Sorrow"; benedictus, "Venite"; O Mass-tus Es, Jubilate Deo, hymn, "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"; offertory hymn, "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"; recessional, "Precious Saviour"; postlude, "Marche Pontificale" (Fauchey). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

CHOIR TO MEET

Members of the choir of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet in regular session Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church. All members of the choir are requested to attend.

GUILD TO MEET

The first regular meeting of St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be held Wednesday of this week beginning at 10 o'clock. A business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock. In the absence of Mrs. L. H. Payton, Mrs. Ed Rose, vice-president, will be in charge. The tea committee is comprised of Mrs. E. J. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. William Gibson.

ST. PAUL'S

Seventeenth and "Eye" Streets
The Reverend Ralph Cox, Rector
Holy communion at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. Morning service, 11 o'clock; sermon by the Reverend Carl R. Taylor. Organ prelude, (a) "Andante Cantabile" (Tschai, kowsky); (b) "Three Negro Spirituals" (James E. Gillette); processional, "Onward Christian Soldiers"; venite, "O Come, Let Us Sing Unto the Lord"; benedictus es, "Blessed Art Thou, O Lord God of Our Fathers"; jubilate deo, "O Be Joyful in the Lord, All Ye Lands"; sermon hymn, "He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought"; offertory, "Sing, My Soul, His Wondrous Love"; recessional hymn, "Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise"; postlude, "Postlude" (H. Heidler); Mrs. Laura Nichols, organist.

SCHEDULE MEETING

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will hold a meeting in the Guild hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Ed Miller, president, will preside at the business meeting. Plans will be discussed for a rummage sale and a card party to be sponsored by the guild. Refreshments will be served during the social hour.

Guild Reconvening Here September 10

St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will hold its first fall meeting September 10 at 2 o'clock at the guild hall, with Mrs. L. H. Payton presiding.

Episcopal Meeting Set for Friday at Church

ST. PAUL'S Episcopal Church will hold a series of meetings Friday to hear a lay representative of the National Council of Church from New York City, on the 1-year development plan of the church. Meetings are in charge of the Reverend Ralph H. Cox, rector-elect of St. Paul's and rural dean of the Southern Deanery of the Missionary District of the San Joaquin. A long range plan of the national organization was begun last year with a survey of the membership. This year's program deals with the worship of the church. The entire program will be explained by the representatives.

Meetings will include a session of the Southern Deanery of the Missionary District of the San Joaquin at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the church. This will be presided over by the Reverend Mr. Cox, and attended by Episcopal clergymen from the entire southern end of the valley. William Lee Richards will address the group.

Church women will meet at 2 o'clock to hear Mr. Richards, and at 6:30 o'clock a potluck dinner will be served in the Guild hall for all members of the church. St. Paul's Guild, of which Mrs. Ed Rose is president, and St. Margaret's Guild, headed by Mrs. E. Miller, are in charge of dinner arrangements. Mr. Richards will speak again after dinner. Arrangements for the meeting are being made by the Reverend Mr. Cox and the wardens and vestry.

Complete

Southern Deanery to Convene Friday

Southern Deanery of the Episcopal Church, which includes the entire San Joaquin valley, will convene in Bakersfield Friday. The vestry will meet at 10 o'clock with the Reverend Ralph Cox, new rector, presiding.

At 2:30 o'clock in the Guild hall a women's meeting will be addressed by William Lee Richards of New York City, who comes from the promotional department of National Council.

At 6:30 o'clock there will be a potluck supper at the Guild hall for all Episcopalians.

Former Episcopal Pastor Visitor Here

THE Reverend William E. Patrick former rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, at present home on leave from his duties as chaplain, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Field Artillery, Fort Lewis, was a Bakersfield visitor with Mrs. Patrick yesterday. Chaplain Patrick officiated at two baptisms at the church, of Catherine Reba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis W. Wardhaugh and Michael Reynold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Mettler, attended the Bakersfield Lions Club of which he is past president and before leaving is past president and before leaving in the afternoon for the south was a guest of St. Paul's Guild. After a few days more with his family at their Carpinteria cottage the chaplain will return to Fort Lewis reporting for duty September 29.

SLATE RECEPTION FOR BISHOP AND WIFE

THE Right Reverend Louis Childs Sanford, D. D., bishop of San Joaquin, and Mrs. Sanford will be the honored guests at a parish reception in the Guild hall tomorrow evening after the service at 7:30 o'clock. The hostesses will be the wives of the vestry under the chairmanship of Mrs. W. A. Alexander, the others being Mesdames T. W. Holson, H. W. Kelly, J. S. Kirkendall, Walter E. Peterson, Frederick S. Wheeler, Glen E. Stanfield.

The candidates for confirmation will assemble in the study of the rector, the Reverend William E. Patrick, at 7:15 o'clock for final instruction about seating, and marching into the church. The choir under the direction of Percy T. Neate, with Mrs. Laura E. Nichols at the organ, will sing an offertory anthem, "Hark, Hark My Soul," Shelley, with alto solo by Miss Laura Covell and soprano obligato by Mrs. Esther Campbell. The special offering Sunday evening, known as the "bishop's visitation fund," has been allocated to British missions in accordance with the vote of the general convention of the Episcopal Church at Kansas City to raise the sum of \$300,000 throughout the Episcopal Church in the United States toward missionary work of the Anglican communion.

A special meeting of the wardens and vestrymen will be held in the rector's study tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. Bishop Sanford, who with Mrs. Sanford is an overnight visitor at Taft, will drive over after the morning service at St. Andrew's, Taft, in time for the meeting of St. Paul's vestry, the confirmation service and reception in the evening. While in Bakersfield the Sanfords will be guests of the Reverend and Mrs. William E. Patrick at 725 Holtby Road.

BRITISH RELIEF TEA IS PLANNED FOR FEBRUARY 21

A British benefit tea will be held Friday, February 21, in St. Paul's Guild hall, corner of Seventeenth and I streets, in connection with a musical program, according to plans completed when British War Relief Association, Bakersfield chapter, convened recently at the home of its president, Mrs. Percy C. Cooke. The public is invited.

Mrs. Cooke reports that a total of 181 warm garments together with 75 bandages and 5 slings have been shipped from the Bakersfield chapter for the relief of the British, during the month of January.

This total included 69 new garments and 10 quilts made by members of the sewing division. Mrs. W. A. Alexander reports that not only were the garments made by these members, but that the material in many cases was also donated by them.

Mrs. E. W. Braddon reports gifts of 73 used garments, cleaned and mended. Mrs. John Black, chairman of the knitting division, reports 8 men's sweaters, 2 women's sweaters, 3 children's sweaters, 7 pairs of socks, 7 pairs of bed socks completed and shipped.

St. Andrew's Auxiliary gave \$50.10 for the "comfort of British women and children."

CONFIRMATION IS HELD FOR CLASS OF 23 HERE

TWENTY-three persons were confirmed by the Right Reverend Louis Childs Sanford, D. D., bishop of San Joaquin, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church last evening, being presented by the Reverend William E. Patrick, rector.

Members of Class

The class, which will make its first communion next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, was composed of the following persons: George H. Brundage, Jr., Clifford L. Buckingham, Russell H. Campbell, Albert C. Lake, Thomas W. Little, Henry T. Morgan, William A. C. Wheeler, Barbara DeL. Booth, Beverly J. Booth, Charry J. Buckingham, Helen J. Covell, Irene Curran, Mary E. Curran, Sally Curran, Shipley Ann Curran, Eleanor Givens, Lena G. Hedrick, Dorothea O. Lake, Althea Earlene Lentz, Cherie C. Miller, Alberta Sepulveda, Nadine Sepulveda and Alice J. Stone. Burton F. Covell, Jr., was crucifer. Shelley's "Hark, Hark My Soul" was sung for an offertory anthem, with solos by Miss Laura Covell and Mrs. Esther Campbell, accompanied by Mrs. Laura Nichols, Percy T. Neate, choir director.

Reception Held

Following the service, a reception was held in honor of Bishop and Mrs. Sanford in the guild hall, with the Reverend William E. Patrick, W. A. Alexander, senior warden, and Glen E. Stanfield, junior warden, in the receiving line.

Hostesses were Mesdames W. A. Alexander, chairman, Thomas W. Holson, Walter E. Peterson, Glen Stanfield and E. S. Wheeler.

Bishop Regrets

At the service, Bishop Sanford spoke of the regret he shared with the parishioners of St. Paul's Church in the departure of their rector, the Reverend Mr. Patrick, who is expected to leave after next Sunday's services for Fort Lewis, and voiced his appreciation of the fine services the rector had rendered to the parish, the community and the diocese of San Joaquin for the past 16 years.

The bishop announced that temporarily the wardens and vestrymen had voted a leave of absence to the rector for two months with the understanding that it could be extended when future events may indicate just how long the chaplain's absence from his parish might be.

Arrangements for pulpit and pastoral supply are being made by the vestry with the bishop and definite announcement will be made later.

ST. PAUL'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL Seventeenth at I Street

The Reverend William E. Patrick, Rector
Sexagesima Sunday, services as follows:
8 a. m., holy communion for confirmation class, others welcome; 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., ante-communion, sermon and litany, the rector officiating. Order of service: Organ prelude by Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, (a) "Echoes of Spring" (Friml), (b) "In Dulci Jubilo" (Bach); processional hymn, "Jesus Shall Reign" (Hatton); Shorter Kyrie, Gloria Tibi, Laus Tibi, (Tallis); litany hymn, "Saviour, When in Dust to Thee" (Carr); hymn, "Fight the Good Fight" (Boyd); offertory anthem, duet by Percy T. Neate and Mrs. Esther Campbell, "I Waited for the Lord" (Mendelssohn); Doxology; recessional hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains" (Mason); organ postlude, "March in C" (Cadman).

GUILD TO CONVENE

St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will convene Wednesday for an all-day sewing and quilting meeting. A business session is planned at 2 o'clock with Mrs. L. H. Payton presiding. The Guild is doing Red Cross sewing on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

GUARDSMEN GET FUND



Wayne Stone, treasurer of the Kern County Junior Chamber of Commerce, delivers check for \$85.50 to Major Paul B. Malone, Jr., commanding officer of the first battalion, One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, as Captain William E. Patrick, chaplain; Lieutenant B. M. Johnston, President Bennett Siemon of the Junior Chamber, and Major Charles E. Wakefield, executive officer, look on. The check represented the junior chamber's share of the proceeds of benefit show staged last week at Strelch Stadium for local national guardsmen inducted into the army of the United States.

Crowds Present at St. Paul's Church

Large congregations attended all three services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church yesterday to honor the Reverend William E. Patrick who left last evening for a tour of military service with the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery. At the 8 o'clock service the rector gave out confirmation certificates signed by the Right Reverend Louis C. Hanford, D. D., Bishop of San Joaquin, as he administered their first communion to the newly confirmed.

The Sunday school had a special observance, at which occasion the rector presented Miss Margaret D. Gardett and Mrs. W. B. Lyons with beautifully bound prayer books and hymnals with their names engraved on the covers and a scrolled inscription in the fly leaf testifying to the appreciation of the rector, wardens and vestrymen of St. Paul's Church from whom the gift came. The rector spoke of the fine service Miss Gardett rendered to the children of St. Paul's Church during the 28 years she had served upon retiring last term as superintendent of the church school, and dwelt in the same manner upon Mrs. Lyons' 20 years leadership of the primary department. After responses of thanks from Miss Gardett and Mrs. Lyons, H. W. Kelly, the present superintendent of the church school, presented the Reverend Mr. Patrick a teacher's Bible signed by Miss Merle I. Scates, the present primary superintendent, and himself, a gift from the teachers and children of the Sunday school. Bobby Spanos, Cara Cash and Diana Di Shields were cross and flag bearers for the procession, with Miss Charlene McFadden acting as organist.

GUILD TO MEET

St. Margaret's Guild will hold a regular meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Plans will be discussed for a rummage sale to be held in the guild hall March 8, with Mrs. Joseph Morley as chairman of the committee.

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to Fort Lewis, Wash., today, 180 officers and first battalion One Hundredth Field Artillery, departing at the army they will receive the their year of training ed States Army. The commanded by Major J. R.

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big army maneuvers scheduled for this summer. Other current rumors recently disclosed indicate the regiment may be sent to Hawaii for a part of its training.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

First Sunday in Lent. The Reverend Gordon Luke will have charge of the services as follows: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; church school, 9:45 a. m.; choral celebration of the Holy communion and sermon at 11 a. m. Organ prelude "Andante Cantabile" (Tschalkowsky); "Larghetto" from Fifth Clarinet; "Quintette" (Mozart); Gounod's Communion service will be sung to the Kyrie Eleison, Gloria Tibi, Laus Tibi, Sursum Corda, Sanctus and Agnus Dei. "The Gloria in Excelsis" and "Nunc Dimittis" will be sung to Anglican Chants. Processional hymn, "Forty Days and Forty Nights" (Herbst); sermon hymn, "O Love That Casts Out Fear" (Spinney); Communion hymn, "And Now, O Father" (Monk); recessional hymn, "Saviour Again to Thy Dear Name" (Hopkins); offertory anthem, solo and chorus, "God So Loved the World" from Stainer's Crucifixion; postlude, "Allegro Moderato" (Capocci). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Seventeenth at I Street
Quinquagesima Sunday. The Reverend Gordon Luke of Berkeley will conduct services as follows: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 o'clock. Music at the 11 o'clock service: Prelude, "Priore de Notre Dame" (Boelling); "Springtime Sketch" (Brewer); processional hymn, "Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart" (Messiter); Venite, Benedictus Es, Jubilate (Anglican chants); sermon hymn, "Dear Lord and Father" (Maker); offertory anthem, "Jesus My Saviour" (Nevin); soprano solo by Mrs. Esther Campbell; recessional hymn, "Hark, Hark My Soul" (Smart); postlude, "Hosanna" (Wachs). Mrs. Laura Nichols, organist.

TO HOLD SALE

St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will hold a rummage sale in the Guild hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Saturday, March 8. Mrs. E. Miller, chairman, has asked that clothing be left at the Guild hall Wednesday or Friday. During the last regular meeting it was decided to knit for the Red Cross and several members volunteered to knit sweaters. Mrs. Percy Neate was appointed chairman of a committee to serve a jitney dinner March 18. The secretary, Miss Norah Trafton, was instructed to invite Miss Olive Meacham to speak at the next meeting.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seventeenth at I Street
Second Sunday in Lent. Services: Holy Communion 8 a. m. Church school, 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Music at 11 o'clock service: Organ prelude, "Song of Faith" (Mueller); "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn); Processional hymn, "Weary of Self" (Langran); "Venite," chant (Goodson); "Te Deum," setting by (Woodward); "Benedictus," chant (Hopkins); Sermon hymn, "Fairer Lord Jesus" (Noble); Offertory anthem, "The Lord Is My Strength" (Monk); Recessional hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers" (Sullivan); Organ postlude, "Marche Romaine" (Gounod). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

The Readers' Viewpoint

EDITOR'S NOTE—The Californian will print letters from readers. Such letters must be confined to 150 words written legibly and on one side of the paper. The space limit is imperative. No anonymous communications will be printed. This is imperative. The Californian reserves the right to delete or reject any or all manuscripts and is not responsible for sentiments contained therein. Letters of more than 150 words will be rejected. Brevity is a desirable feature. They must be bona-fide written by the writer with complete address given, although the name may not be published.

KERN MEN IN CAMP

Editor The Californian:

The regiment arrived at Fort Lewis on Tuesday morning and the men have spent most of the week getting settled in their barracks, cleaning up the grounds, etc. The more rigorous training schedule, a 13-weeks program, will begin on Monday.

The officers and men are housed in excellent quarters. Good iron cots with sheets, pillow, blankets and comforters were issued to each man. Each building is well heated.

A regimental theater is available capable of seating 500 with stage for shows and entertainment. This building will be used for church services. We cannot use it as yet because the heating apparatus has not been completely connected, but we expect it to be ready the first of the week. One of the mess halls will be used for services Sunday.

In connection with each battery group there is a fine recreation building, to be used as a place in which to write letters, read and play indoor games such as ping-pong.

Will you kindly put a note in the paper suggesting that donations of magazines would be appreciated for the various recreation rooms. There may be people in Bakersfield and Kern county who would like to donate subscriptions to weekly magazines for the use of our Kern county boys. Just at present the battery funds for use in buying magazines and other reading material are very low.

We are some 15 miles from Olympia in one direction and about the same from Tacoma in another direction. For most of the men there will be little opportunity for recreation away from the cantonment.

The weather here so far has been quite fine, during the day. When the men get out for daily calisthenics about 6 a. m. there is a pea soup fog which hangs around for several hours. The sweaters donated by the Red Cross certainly come in handy. These are worn under the shirt. The overcoat is worn during the first part of the morning but is soon shed on work details. So far the sun has finally come out successfully for a good part of the day, with the result that the sweaters too often come off. In the later afternoon it is pretty chilly when you stand in the shade without a coat on.

This evening there are only 20 men sick in the hospital at the main post, these largely with colds that incapacitated them for work. The area here has a small infirmary building for the daily sick call and for dental work, but any men needing longer than 24 hours care are immediately sent into the post hospital. On the whole the health of

the regiment is fine. As a precautionary measure we are having a 14-day quarantine with no passes except to Fort Lewis. Later on the men will be given an opportunity to visit Seattle and other points.

WILLIAM E. PATRICK,
Chaplain One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery,
Fort Lewis, Wash.
February 21, 1941.

CHURCHES FETE ASH WEDNESDAY

Opening of Lenten Season Is Observed by Faithful in Bakersfield

By BETH DYE

Ushering in Lent, the 40 days before Christianity's holiest celebration, Easter, April 13, Catholic and Episcopal faithful of Bakersfield are observing Ash Wednesday today.

Ash Wednesday is so-called from a custom in the Roman Catholic Church of putting ashes on the heads of the penitent, formerly the public penitent, now of all.

At St. Francis Catholic Church mass was said this morning at 7:30 by Father M. Gaioni, and will be said again this evening at 7:30 o'clock. At St. Joseph's Catholic Church mass was held at 6:30, and will be held again at 8 by the Right Reverend Monseigneur P. J. McGrath, pastor. At Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, Father Losada also is holding masses today.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church is conducting devotions, but no communion is planned due to the absence of the rector, the Reverend William E. Patrick.

Protestant churches are centering their plans on observance of Holy Week, the week before Easter. While climaxing with Easter Day, when pageants, cantatas, recitals and other programs will be held in elaborately decorated buildings, there will be a great mass gathering on Wednesday night of Holy Week at First Christian Church where the high school and junior college musical groups will assist, and a three-hour devotional service on Good Friday from 12 to 3 o'clock at First Congregational Church. The Ministerial Union, of which the Reverend B. B. Baird is the pastor, will sponsor the two gatherings.

War Relief Unit Will Meet Friday

British War Relief Association will meet in St. Paul's Guild hall, Seventeenth and I streets, Friday afternoon with the hall open from 1 to 5 o'clock. At 3:30 o'clock the Reverend Jack Levy of Congregation B'nai Jacob will offer a prayer for peace at home and abroad.

Tea will be served at 3:45 o'clock with Mrs. Heber E. Kelly and Mrs. Volentario as hostesses, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Burnham. Donations have been received, since the last acknowledgement, from Mrs. H. E. Maude and Mrs. Ben F. Cooper. Contributions for this cause may be sent to Mrs. Percy T. Neate, treasurer, 105 H street.

ELECTED



Miss Barbara Booth

ELECTION of officers, held recently by St. Paul's League of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, resulted in the choice of Miss Barbara Booth as president. She presided for the initial time at this week's meeting, held in the Guild hall. Plans are afoot for a "traveling dinner" Sunday, March 16, with the Misses Charleen and Coleen McFadden as the committee in charge. A "feed" featured the last session. Officers in addition to Miss Booth are: Burton Covel, vice-president; Miss Helen Lois Moore, secretary; Miss Charleen McFadden, treasurer, and Frank Moore, sergeant-at-arms.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seventeenth at I Street
Third Sunday in Lent
Holy communion, 8 a. m. Church school, 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. The Very Reverend Lincoln Vercoe, formerly arch deacon of the Diocese of Western Michigan, will conduct the services. Organ of music at the 11 o'clock service: Organ prelude, "Andante in G" (Battiste); "Three Negro Spirituals" (Gillette); processional hymn, "O Jesus Thou Art Standing" (Knecht); "Venite," chant (Goodson); "Benedictus Es," chant (Woodward); "Ye tus," chant (Hopkins); sermon hymn, "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones," Cologne melody. Offertory anthem, "Jesus Only" (Artois); recessional hymn, "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand" (Dykes); organ postlude, "March in C" (Volkmann). Mrs. Laura E. Nichols, organist.

HOLD PROGRESSIVE DINNER

A progressive dinner was enjoyed by members of St. Paul's Club of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. At a meeting following the dinner, plans were made for a food sale with Elizabeth Moore in charge. The sale is to be held at the Green Frog market, corner California and Chester avenues, on Saturday, March 22, beginning at 9 o'clock and continuing throughout the day. Hot dishes, salads, cakes, cookies and pies will be on sale.

Guild Schedules Jitney Dinner Here

At the last meeting of St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church plans were discussed for the jitney dinner to be held in the guild hall Tuesday.

A committee was appointed by Mrs. Percy Neate, chairman, to assist in serving the dinner. After the business meeting Miss Olive Meacham spoke on the subject of British missions and told of her experiences in Africa, where she formerly taught in a mission school. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Percy Cooke, Misses Margaret Burton and Laura Covel. The next regular meeting of the guild will be held March 26 at the home of Mrs. Heber Kelly, 31 Flower street.

TO GIVE TALK

Miss Olive Meecham of Visalia, United Thank Offering worker for the San Joaquin valley, will speak on "Religious Education" when St. Paul's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal Church meets Wednesday at the Guild hall. The meeting will be an all-day affair, with Miss Meecham's talk and the business hour conducted by Mrs. L. H. Payton, president, beginning at 2 o'clock.