

WHAT MAKES AN EVANGELIST?

Billy Graham Tells of Persistent Urge

By DAVID M. MASON

MINNEAPOLIS, June 17. (AP) A young man with fire in his eyes and urgency in his voice is trying to satisfy what he believes is a world-wide "hunger" for the gospel of Jesus Christ. He is 31-year-old Rev. Billy Graham, erstwhile semipro baseball player and anthropology student.

country. "The Lord," he says, "kept telling me to join." Graham applied for a discharge from the Army two months after he was commissioned. He joined the new movement and Evangelist Billy Graham was off on his fabulous career.

He has been given three honorary doctor's degrees by colleges. He says he has offers of a score or so more if he could accept them. What makes an evangelist like Rev. Billy Graham? William Franklin Graham Jr. is the first of four children born to a Presbyterian dairy farmer and his wife who live near Charlotte, N. C.

Keeping a death-bed promise to Dr. W. B. Riley, president of Northwestern Schools, Rev. Graham succeeded him. But he spends only a small fraction of his time at the school. When he became president of Northwestern Schools there were 685 students. Now there are 1200. A modernistic administration building and a 1000-watt standard AM and 3000-watt FM radio station have been added. The schools are interdenominational. About 30 denominations are represented in the student body.



REV. T. EUGENE COFFIN

Rev. Coffin to Be Music Head at Yearly Meeting

Rev. T. Eugene Coffin, pastor of the Alamitos Community Friends Church, Garden Grove, and son of Rev. T. Merrill Coffin of Ramona, former pastor at Bethel Friends Church, Long Beach, will serve as director of music for the California Yearly Meeting convening in Whittier tomorrow and continuing through Sunday, June 25.

Minister to Give Final Sermon Here Tomorrow

For his final sermon as pastor of First Congregational Church tomorrow, Dr. Stuart LeRoy Anderson has chosen the theme, "The Gospel According to You." The sermon will be delivered at both the 9:30 and 11 a. m. services, and will mark the end of his seven-year pastorate in Long Beach.

L. B. Shell Club to Hold Exhibit

"The Romance of Shells" will be the theme of an exhibit in the upstairs exhibition hall of the main public library June 18-July 8.

Church to Show Pilgrimage Play

The famous Hollywood Pilgrimage Play, one of America's outstanding religious dramas, has been filmed and it will be shown tomorrow evening at 5 and 7:30 o'clock in Calvary Baptist Church, according to Dr. E. Harlan Fischer, pastor.

Revival Scheduled by Central Church

Central Church of Christ, Atlantic Ave. and Fifth St., will hold a one-week revival starting Wednesday evening, June 22, according to an announcement by the ministers, Ernest Beam and Samuel E. Witty. W. L. Wilson, El Paso, Texas, will be the visiting evangelist.

Compton Chapel Will Note Father's Day

Unity Chapel of Compton, 115 N. Chester Ave., will mark Father's Day at its 11 a. m. service tomorrow. The minister, Mrs. Margaret Butterworth, left this week for a two-months leave of absence during which time she will attend the Unity Training School and the annual conference of Unity ministers held at the Unity Society of Practical Christianity, Lee's Summit, Mo., adjoining Kansas City.

Duplicate Bridge Winners Announced

Recent play of Long Beach Duplicate Bridge Club at Masonic Temple resulted as follows, according to Mrs. Bert L. Parker, director: Wednesday—North-South: Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ketchum, Mrs. Clark Carson and J. S. Huskey, Joseph Schleper and James Nolan, East-West: Frank Holmes and A. Jacobs, Mrs. R. L. Duncan and George Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Stahl.

Drunk Driver Must Serve Jail Term

William J. Molnar, 32, yesterday was sentenced to serve 30 days in jail with 15 days suspension on condition of probation after Molnar pleaded guilty to drunken driving before Municipal Judge Harry F. Keeler.

Buena Park Youth to Speak in Church

A Buena Park youth will speak tomorrow evening in Buena Park Nazarene Church. At 8:45 o'clock he will address the Young People's Society on the topic, "Are You in the Devil's Art Gallery?" For the regular evening service he will speak on "We Are in Debt."



SINGER—A special Father's Day program will be featured at Olive Nazarene Church, 15802 S. Washington Ave., Compton, Rev. Royal C. Warner announces. Reginald A. Ellis (above), lyric tenor and impersonator, longtime radio and stage character entertainer, will be special guest. He has inspired thousands with his program, which is recommended by many pastors and church organizations. Rev. Warner will speak at 11 a. m. on "Is He to Be," and in the evening on "Life's Choices."

Service to Honor 2000 Couples Wed at Church

The 12th annual "wedding bells" service marked by Lakewood Village Community Church, Sunfield Ave. and Centralia St., will be held tomorrow at 4 p. m. It is announced by Chaplain Willford R. Hall.

The service will honor the almost 2000 couples who have been married there in the past 13 years. The number of couples for this year's observance virtually prohibits them joining in any of the regular church hours so their own service time has been arranged, according to Chaplain Hall. In this way the brides a grooms and their children from babies to school children can have all the room more comfortably. The service will be the same, the regular worship service with the choir providing the music and the message.

Compton Church Will Mark Father's Day

The Unity Church of Compton, 115 N. Chester Ave., will observe Father's Day at its morning service. The minister, Miss Margaret Butterworth, left this week for the Unity Training School at Lee's Summit, Mo., to take the two-month summer course and attend the annual conference of Unity ministers. In her absence the associate ministers, Mrs. Winifred Deitz and Rev. Frederick C. Robinson, will conduct the services on Sundays at 11 a. m. and Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Rev. Robinson will give the Father's Day message at the next meeting of the department executive board.

American Legion Post Changing Name

Officers of Naval Drydocks Post 617, American Legion, have approved changing the name of the post to Civil Service Post 617. Local, state and federal civil service employes have been invited to attend the next meeting of the post, set for 8 p. m. next Friday in Veterans Memorial. The new name is expected to be approved by state department officers at the next meeting of the department executive board.

RADIO, TELEVISION AND F. M. PROGRAMS. KLAC 570, KFI 640, KMPC 710, KECA 790, KHJ 930, KFVB 980, KNX 1070, KFOX 1200, KFAC 1330, KGER 1390, KTED 1520.

TELEVISION. SATURDAY, JUNE 17. 5:00 KECA (7)—Test. KFI (9)—For Sportsmen. 5:30 KTSK (2)—Silent. KECA (7)—Paul Whiteman Teen Club. KTLA (5)—News. Music. KLAC (13)—Hoot Gibson. 6:00 KTLA (5)—Cowboy Thrilla. KECA (7)—Music For Two. KFI (9)—Talent Spoolies. KTTV (11)—Film, "Northern Frontier." 6:15 KNBH (4)—Howdy Dood. KLAC (13)—Hawthorne & Egbert. KTLA (5)—Fantastic Studio. KECA (7)—Sandy Dreams. 6:45 KNBH (4)—Burbank Auction. KLAC (13)—Film.

FREQUENCY MODULATION. SATURDAY, JUNE 17. 9:00—Top Ten. KUSC—91.5 Mega.—6:00—To Vets. 6:15—Beyond Song. 7:00—Concert. 8:30—Melody House. 9:00—Melody. 9:30—Story of Music. KNQB—103.1 Mega. 5:00—Western Music. 5:30—Babe Ruth Story. 5:45—Kiddle Corner. 6:00—Music. 7:00—U. N. 7:30—Salute to Reservists. 8:00—Mahogany Hall. 8:00—You Pick Music.

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Value of Friendship Told at School Commencement

THE VALUE of friendship through life was told by Judge Martin DeVries to graduating senior and junior high school students at Progress School auditorium. "Think in terms of what you can do for the other fellow as you go through life," Judge DeVries said. His topic was "Creed of the Boy."

Orva Kimble by Past. Comdr. Perry Barrett. Good Citizenship Awards of Gaviota Chapter, D. A. R., were presented David Laubscher and Geraldine Robinson by Mrs. Carol Thorn, chapter regent, following a brief talk on "Good Citizenship" by Mrs. Russell Brounger. Donald Jackson, student, received the Essay Award issued by the U. S. W. V. from Mrs. Nellie Ross, who made the presentation in behalf of Mrs. W. W. Windham.



TEXAS QUARTET—The Bel Canto Chorus from the Boles Home, Texas, will be presented Wednesday at 8 p. m. in North Long Beach Church of Christ, 1128 E. Artesia St. The chorus is on a nation-wide tour and will present a cappella numbers as well as choral selections. The Bel Canto Quartet (shown here) is featured in the concert. The singers are veterans in civic concerts, religious programs and television and radio programs.

Jap Leaders Favor World Labor Union

GENEVA, June 17. (AP) The Japanese government and workers' representatives pleaded today for readmission of Japan to the International Labor Organization.

Slot Machine Ban Closes Legion Club

PITTSBURG, Calif., June 17. (AP) The American Legion Club here was closed today, the first known casualty of the statewide ban on possession of slot machines which becomes effective July 15.