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CITY NEWS.

(N. B. If you have relatives or friends visiting in the city or going to make a visit, please inform us; we will call all your local news.—Ed.)

You must register.

Why don't you pay your subscription?

Mrs. John Bryant of Osceola is visiting in the city, the guest of relatives.

Our collector is still calling on our city subscribers to pay their subscription.

Mr. Rufus Hoskins and Mr. Richard Morris left Thursday morning for La Port, Ia.

Mr. W. L. Scott of 844 6th avenue has been appointed as one of the clerks of the election.

Mr. Spencer Elliston will leave Oct. 28 for Ohio to enter the Wilberforce University.

Mrs. Lawther of East Grand avenue who broke her arm some weeks ago, is improving slowly.

Miss Frances Walker spent Saturday in Newton and Colfax and Tuesday in Enterprise in the interest of the Bystander.

Registration board open October 22, 23 and 24 Register!

Dr. A. J. Booker of New York City, recently from Paris, France, is visiting in our city and will likely locate here. He is both a physician and surgeon.

Club No. 2 of Union Congregational church will give a musical concert Thursday evening the 22nd. All are invited to attend.

Mr. E. Tracy Blagburn who has been sick, was out to church Sunday for the first time since July. His many friends are glad to see him out again.

Mr. I. C. Burrell of 1055 5th street, who was taken to the Methodist hospital last week is getting along nicely. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. P. M. Lewis, the wife of Rev. Lewis of Buxton, was in our city Thursday enroute to Evely, Ia., to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sellers, well to do farmer of that place. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. S. Joe Brown.

Mrs. J. W. Holmes of Colfax will entertain the Intellectual Improvement club at her home Friday afternoon. All members are looking forward to a pleasant time while the guests of the member residing in Colfax.

Rev. H. W. Porter will leave Monday for Galesburg, Ill., to attend the 62nd annual meeting of the American Missionary Association. He will preach Sunday Oct 25th at two of the largest churches in Ottumwa.

Mrs. W. B. Cottoms of 960 W. 22nd street entertained a few friends Oct. 3rd in honor of her sister, Miss Lettie Mabel Carter of Keokuk, who has been visiting for the past year in Des Moines. Miss Carter left on the 5th over the Washburn for Macon, Mo., where she will attend Macon College.

If you wish to vote at the November election you must register, regardless of when you registered last. Don't forget it. Registration boards will be open October 22, 23 and 24. Voting machines are now scattered about the city in cigar and grocery stores, also at the Court House. Examine them and know how they are operated.

A letter from T. H. Sturgis of Sioux City states that his wife, who has been sick for more than a year, is getting worse and the doctors offers no hopes for her recovery and can give but little relief. It has been very taxing upon Mr. Sturgis as he is a mail carrier and Grand Secretary of the Masonic lodge of Iowa trying to get out the annual minutes. We all extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Sturgis.

The Callanan club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm. Shackelford. After the general order of business the club presented the chaplain, Mrs. W. Sampson Brooks, with a lovely gold bracelet. Mrs. Dora Scott of 24th street will be hostess to the club next week, at which important business relative to "The Spinster Convention" which the club is contemplating giving about November 15th.

We are doing business in the same old place. Let Me See Your Face. VARIETY CO. R. E. PATTON MGR. 1010 CENTER STREET

Don't forget to register.

Mrs. Anna Cook leaves to-night for St. Louis, Mo. after a two month's visit with her mother Mrs. Anna Banks and sister Mrs. B. J. Mitchell on 1421 Park St. She had a pleasant time.

Mr. Thos. E. Barton of Washington, D. C., but formerly an old and highly respected citizen of Des Moines, arrived here Saturday to remain until after the election. He is looking well.

Our collector is now collecting in the city, and we urge and sincerely hope that all of our subscribers who are in arrears will pay their subscription when she calls.

Mr. Alex Birney, formerly of this city but now of South Dakota, arrived in our city Saturday to remain indefinitely. He is visiting his son W. H. Birney and friends. Mr. B. is looking well. He likes the great northwest as there is a world of opportunities for our race and those who are there are doing fine.

DES MOINES NEGRO LYCEUM

On last Tuesday evening members and friends of the Des Moines Negro Lyceum were entertained by Miss Estella Wilburn. The debate "Resolved that journals are not detrimental to the Negro Race," was on the account of the absence of one of the debaters turned into a general discussion, which was very interesting. At the conclusion of the program the hostess served dainty refreshments. Miss Mae Lee of 731 W. 9th street will entertain the club Tuesday evening, at which time all members are requested to be present as business of importance is to be taken up. The following program will be rendered: Quotations from Wm. Shakespeare; Oration, Wm. Shackelford; Reading, Edith Comely; Oration, G. H. Mason.

MEN'S LEAGUE.

The David and Johnathan League which meets every Sunday afternoon in the basement of the Union Congregational church, is increasing in interest and in numbers. Subjects of interest are being discussed Sabbath after Sabbath by men who are interested in all that pertains to the good of mankind. The sole object of the League is to help men to be better men. To help men think like men. To help men to speak like men. To help men to act like men. To help men to help society. The League is for all men, old and young. The subjects for next month and the last Sunday in this month are as follows: Sunday Oct. 25, "Strength in Christian Fellowship." Sunday Nov. 1, "Mastering One's Business." Sunday Nov. 8, "Patience." Sunday Nov. 15, "The Influence of the Bible on Society." Sunday Nov. 22, "The Need of Heroic Citizenship." Sunday Nov. 29, "Ingratitude." All men are invited to the league, and are welcome to take a part in the discussions.

Program committee J. H. Shepard, Geo. H. Cleggett Sr. and W. H. Porter. E. T. Banks, Pres. Geo. H. Cleggett, Sr. clerk.

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Governor Cummins Appoints Dr. Williams.

On last week Governor A. B. Cummins appointed Dr. J. H. Williams of our city formerly of Juxton, to represent Iowa at the National meeting of the National Fair Association to be held in Mobile, Ala., next month to perfect plans for holding a fair in said city during November 1909. It is quite an honor, the Association has 30 acres of ground just outside of the city limits and are now erecting an exhibition building costing over \$10,000, covering over an acre of ground they will ask congress to appropriate \$250,000 for the enterprise. The following governors have appointed the following men: A. L. Crother, Md., appointed H. S. Cummings; C. I. Crawford, S. D., B. P. Blair; G. S. Chamberlain, Oregon, M. Stewart; N. B. Broward, Florida, N. B. Young; J. A. Higgins, R. I., E. A. Watson; A. L. Harris, Ohio, Wm. R. Green; E. F. Noel, Miss., P. L. Mingo; J. A. Johnson, Minn., F. L. McGhee. W. M. O. Dawson, W. Va., J. M. Jones, J. Burke, N. D., Wm. Evans; G. Derry, N. Mex., Wm. Vaughn; J. N. Gillett, Cal., G. W. Wickliffe; A. H. Buchtel, Col., A. G. Fallings; A. B. Cummins, Ia., Dr. J. H. Williams. The Association is incorporated under the laws of Alabama and Mr. Newsome is president and general manager.

CURRENT LITERATURE REVIEW.

The editor is in receipt of a new book just from the printers, entitled "Students in the American Race problem," by Alfred Holt Stone, of the department of economics and sociology of the Carnegie Institute of Washington, D. C., also statistical studies of the Negro by Prof. Walter F. Willcox of Cornell College, both of these contributors are white men of learning whose aim is an honest scientific study, they are not propagandist, neither have they a panacea but a fundamental and original study applicable to race relations all over the world, their aim is the removal of stumbling blocks and a better understanding between the sections. It is perhaps the best work I have yet read from a scientific view point, and I would urge my race to purchase a copy, price \$2.00, Doubleday, Page & Co., New York.

AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

Will Hold Sixty-second Annual Session at Galesburg, Illinois October 20, 21, 22.

The American Missionary Association was formed by christian men moved by profound convictions of religious duty and of human obligation. Its purpose was neither controversy nor agitation but missionary service. Its special care was for the oppressed.

It received this great faith, which it still seeks to cheerish as the gift of Christ, and for the power to make it effective it looks alone to Christ.

It finds its social ethics in the parable of the good Samaritan and the commission under which it serves is the divine command to "go and do likewise."

The Association was founded on the third of September, 1846

The men who formed it took high ground on the question of human slavery; and its doctrine of human freedom was drawn from the scriptures. It sought to unite the scattered efforts of like-minded christian men in a common missionary endeavor, at home and abroad, in the name and behalf of a free and pure christianity. The union was effected in the fear of God and for the advancement of His kingdom and the patriotic and christian name which its founders chose for their organization was the American Missionary Association; and it is not too much to say that no other single organization has done more for the mental, moral and spiritual uplift of the Negro. No backward step has been taken. Our churches have multiplied to more than two hundred among the Negroes.

Our schools have advanced in dignity, and character as well as in numbers—60 schools with 450 teachers and over 15,000 pupils.

The progress has been phenomenal. The record of forty-three years has been one of inspiration and encouragement as we look back over the brave and patient struggles of this lowly people, out of the disabilities of slavery into the good estate of a self-respecting freedom. These are facts not always recognized by those who study the Negro problem.

The Rev. H. W. Porter, pastor of the Union Congregational church, who is doing so much to help raise the standard of the race in our city and state, is a product of the American Missionary Association, and will go as a delegate to this great body next week.

More Than Enough is Too Much. To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by all druggists.

Lewis E. Johnson, the secretary who once had charge of the Buxton Y. M. C. A. work. We will say more about it next week.

REV. W. S. BROOKS' LECTURE.

Last Wednesday night Rev. W. Sampson Brooks, formerly pastor of the A. M. E. church, gave his famous lecture and moving picture view on a trip to Jerusalem, as his last public appearance in our city before he goes to his new charge in Nashville, Tenn. The church was crowded to its uttermost and standing room was scarce. The Reverend was at his best and delivered a fine lecture on the Holy Land as he saw it. While Rev. Brooks and his good and amiable wife have only been here two years, yet they made some dear and lasting friends, and the church wanted his return again. He and his wife leave this city carrying with them the best wishes of all Christian people. He left Thursday for Nashville, Tenn., and his wife went to St. Paul, Minn., thence to Chicago to visit before joining Rev. Brooks.

EDICT.

To All Whom It May Concern: Greeting: Be it known that the grand officers-elect of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of the state of Iowa and jurisdiction met in Ottumwa, Iowa, on the 15th day of August, 1908, and was then and there installed and declared a sovereign grand chapter of the O. E. S. for the state of Iowa and jurisdiction by Prof. J. H. Simms, G. R. P. of the Grand Chapter of the state of Missouri.

Therefore, be it known that all chapters within the geographical limits of the state of Iowa that are at this time holding warrants under the authority of other jurisdictions than that of Iowa are illegal and of the status of clandestine chapters.

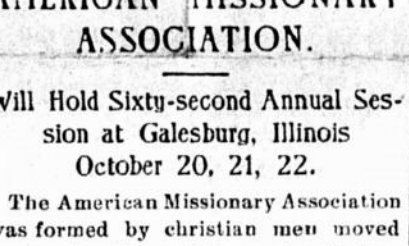
Be it also known that the said Iowa Grand Chapter recognizes no higher power or authority than that of a sovereign state Grand Chapter O. E. S. Miss Ida B. Palmer, Worthy Grand Matron. W. H. Milligan, Worthy Grand Patron.

Be it further known that said Grand Chapter is recognized by the Most Worshipful United Grand Lodge of Iowa, it having organized according to all Masonic and O. E. S. laws. See Mackey, page 424, and O. E. S. ritual, pages 26 and 27.

W. H. Milligan, Grand Master.

SPEAKING OF ISSUES.

UNCLE SAM'S POLITICAL STORAGE



—From the Philadelphia Press.

TRUE PROPHETS AND FALSE.

HOW TO TEST THEM.

"I will not deny that there may be prophets to-day, but the trouble is to tell the true prophets from the false ones. The Bible says that false prophets will rise. It tells us how to distinguish the false from the true. It says: 'By their fruits ye shall know them.'—William J. Bryan's speech at Baltimore, Jan. 20, 1900.

BRYAN PROPHECIES.

"TARIFF WILL CRUSH THE FARMER."

1892, Free Trade.

"Thus in every State, so far as these statistics have been collected, the proportion of home-owning farmers is decreasing and that of tenant farmers is increasing. This means but one thing: it means a land of landlords and tenants, and, backed by the history of every nation that has gone down, I say to you that no people can continue a free people under a free government when the great majority of its citizens are tenants of a small minority."—William J. Bryan; speech on the protective tariff in the National House of Representatives, March 16, 1892.

"GOLD STANDARD WILL DESTROY HOMES."

1896, Free Coinage—16 to 1.

"I reply that, if protection has slain its thousands, the gold standard has slain its tens of thousands."—William J. Bryan; speech at Democratic National Convention, July, 1896.

"The Democratic party has begun a war of extermination against the gold standard. We ask no quarter; we give no quarter. We shall prosecute our warfare until there is not an American citizen who dares to advocate the gold standard. You ask why? We reply that the gold standard is a conspiracy against the human race, and that we have an army to destroy our homes and to destroy our families."—William J. Bryan; speech at Albany, N. Y., August, 1896.

"NO MORE FOURTH OF JULY."

1900, Imperialism.

"The fight this year will be to carry out the sentiment of that song we have so often repeated: 'My Country, 'tis of Thee.' If we lose, our children and our children's children will not succeed to the spirit of that song, and celebrations of the Fourth of July will pass away, for the spirit of Empire will be upon us."—William J. Bryan; speech to the Bryan Home Guards, Lincoln, Neb., July, 1900.

"ROOSEVELT THE SPIRIT OF WAR."

1904, Anti-Roosevelt.

"I would rather go down to eternal oblivion than be instrumental in the election of Roosevelt."—William J. Bryan, Oct. 17, 1904, while touring Indiana.

"The surrender of the present President (Roosevelt) to corporate influences furnishes an excellent proof of the wisdom of Judge Parker in making the statement he has. But President Roosevelt stands for militarism. . . . The present occupant of the White House (Roosevelt) represents in an aggravated form the warlike spirit, as contrasted with the pacific policy that has heretofore characterized our nation."—William J. Bryan, in a speech at Springfield, Mo., Sept. 1, 1904, where he accused President Roosevelt of surrendering to the corporations and holding "bloody, brutal and barbarous" sentiments.

"GOVERNMENT MUST OWN RAILWAYS."

1906, Government Ownership of Railways.

"I have already reached the conclusion that railroads partake so much of the nature of a monopoly that they must ultimately become public property, and be managed by public officials in the interest of the whole community."—William J. Bryan; Home-coming speech at New York City, August, 1906.

POLITICAL NOTES OF INTEREST.

The progress of the Afro-American people in 40 years of freedom has been greater than that of any other race, similarly envied, recorded in history. A great deal of this progress should be credited to the republican party.

There were more than 15,000 Afro-American private soldiers in the Spanish-American war. They served under Afro-American officers commissioned by a republican president—William McKinley.

The election of Taft and Sherman means continued prosperity for all the people.

Tillman has boasted in the United States senate that the democrats of South Carolina have butchered black men for attempting to vote.

A vote for Taft is a vote to sustain the principles of human liberty for which he stands.

The Afro-American has everything to gain by the triumph of the republican party—the party which stands for freedom and human rights.

Party principles have not changed. The democratic party is the same to-day as it was before the war, so far as the Afro-American is concerned.

The election of Bryan can bring no possible good to the Afro-American. Better let well enough alone and vote for Taft.

Under the Roosevelt administration there are nearly 14,000 Afro-Americans in the public service of the country and they receive about \$8,000,000 in salaries.

The Afro-American people know too well what democratic success means to be beguiled by the smooth talk of the democratic spellbinders.

The Afro-Americans will never turn from the republican party and go over to the democrats who are disfranchising and impoverishing the people of their race in the south.

There are 512 Afro-American employees in the Chicago postoffice, drawing annual salaries aggregating in round numbers \$400,000.

Mr. James A. Cobb, appointed assistant district attorney for the district of Columbia, prepares cases for prosecution under the pure food law and has charge of forfeited bonds cases.

Hon. Mifflin W. Gibbs was elected city judge of Little Rock, Ark., by the republicans of that city in 1873, and was the first man of the race to be so honored.

In the Houston, Texas, postoffice there are 21 Afro-American employees whose salaries aggregate \$14,000 annually.

There are 30 colored employees in the Montgomery, Alabama, postoffice who draw salaries aggregating \$27,000 annually.

Twelve Afro-Americans employed in the St. Paul, Minn., postoffice are paid salaries amounting to \$12,300 annually.

All of the letter carriers at the Muskogee, Oklahoma, postoffice are colored men. They draw salaries amounting to \$10,260 annually.

There are 15 Afro-Americans in the internal revenue service, at Louisville, Ky., whose salaries aggregate \$16,500 per year.

The 14 Afro-American employees in the Kansas City, Kansas, postoffice draw \$9,400 in salaries annually.

Fifteen Afro-American employees in the Columbus, Ohio, postoffice are paid salaries aggregating \$13,500 annually.

W. H. Lewis, Esq., assistant district attorney at Boston, Mass., has charge of the naturalization cases. He is an Afro-American lawyer honored by the republican party.

The total force of the Mobile, Ala., postoffice consists of 33 clerks—16 Afro-Americans and 17 whites. The 32 carriers are all colored. The Afro-American employees receive annually \$42,000.

S. L. Williams, Esq., special assistant district attorney at Chicago, has charge of the naturalization cases. Mr. Williams is a colored man.

In the postoffice and federal building at Jackson, Miss., there are 18 Afro-American employees whose annual pay aggregates \$11,500.

At the Galveston, Texas, postoffice there are 13 colored employees whose annual compensation amounts to \$10,000.

Mr. H. H. Garner entered the postal service at Little Rock in 1890 when he was appointed letter carrier. The force then consisted of nine carriers. Mr. Garner was recently made superintendent of carriers. The present force consists of 45 regular carriers, thirty-one being Afro-Americans. There are also eight substitutes, four white and four colored.

Fifty Years a Blacksmith.

"Samuel Worley of Hixburg, Va., has been shoeing horses for more than fifty years. He says: 'Chamberlain's Pain Balm has given me great relief from lame back and rheumatism. It is the best liniment I ever used.' For sale by all druggists.

Chivalry.

The chivalry of Europe is in great measure, a product of the Slavonic chivalry which entered Europe in two streams flowing from the eastward and through the Alps.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

Defense of the Sparrow. Let us see what a weed means to the farmer! A thousand per cent. is the increase in yield in corn...

TYPHOID DUE TO MILK

Dr. Albert Reports on Fairfield Epidemic. Iowa City.—Milk and ice cream probably started the epidemic of typhoid fever at Fairfield recently...

KINDNESS WORTH \$25,000.

Roife Family Inherits All of Old Man's Estate. Rolfe.—When capitalized, the kindness and attention of Mr. and Mrs. R. Williams to the late W. H. Halt...

TAMA INDIANS WIN

Government Cannot Compel Them to Send Children to School. Cedar Rapids.—In federal court Judge Reed decided the habeas corpus case brought by Indians of the Tama reservation...

TAGS FOR CHARITY.

Home for Friendless Children Profits From "Tag Day." Des Moines.—Nearly \$3,000 was lured from the pockets of Des Moines people by fifty young women armed with red tags and red coin boxes...

DAVENPORT \$100,000 FIRE.

Thousands of Barrels of Syrup Destroyed.—Lumber Co. Hit. Davenport.—Fire on the 14th completely destroyed elevator 3 of the Rothschilds Grain company, located in the western part of the city...

NEW HOSIERY MILLS.

Des Moines Concern Organized and Will Establish Factory. Des Moines.—The organization of a new textile manufacturing company for Des Moines has been completed...

MILK QUENCHED BIG FARM FIRE

Many Gallons of Fluid Ugg at Fire on Farm of C. P. Rugg. Waterloo.—Milk was used to extinguish a fire in the farm buildings owned by C. P. Rugg, south of Waterloo...

MOTHER'S CONGRESS ENDS.

Des Moines.—The Iowa Congress of Mothers closed its fourth biennial convention on the 13th with the election of officers. It was decided at the meeting to raise funds for the expense of an organizer by assessing each of the twenty-seven clubs...

APPLE RAISING PAYS IN IOWA

Made an Income of \$50 Per Acre from His Orchard. Mason City.—Frank Trigg, of Rockford, has a 24-acre apple orchard which has received scientific care. As a result year after year the product is growing better...

PLAN BIG POWER PLANT.

Cedar Rapids.—Announcement has been made that W. G. Dows and Isaac B. Smith of the Cedar Rapids and Iowa City Railway and Light company have purchased water power rights in the Cedar river at the Palisades...

TAX GOVERNMENT MEN.

Council Bluffs.—In response to an inquiry from the city poll-tax collector, City Solicitor Kimball rendered an opinion, holding that postal clerks, letter carriers and other salaried government employees are liable for the payment of poll tax...

SEVENTY STRIKERS RETURN.

Marshalltown.—Seventy men who have been out on a strike of the Iowa Central shopmen resumed work in the shops here. As many more would have been put to work had they been available...

2,320 ATTEND UNIVERSITY.

Iowa City.—The State university enrollment figures given out show an increase of 150 over last year. Excluding duplicates, the enrollment is 2,320, compared to 2,164 for the corresponding period last year.

REORGANIZE SIOUX CITY WIRK.

SioUX City.—Frank L. Wirik, who for the past six years has been secretary of the Interstate live stock fair has tendered his resignation to the board of directors. His health is given by Mr. Wirik as the cause of his retirement...

MASON CITY WING

Davenport.—The Modern Brotherhood of America voted to keep its headquarters at Mason City. The vote against Des Moines was about two to one. Davenport was another candidate.

BALKAN PROGRAM

GREAT BRITAIN, RUSSIA AND FRANCE UNITED IN PROPOSAL.

THEY RECOGNIZE BULGARIA

The Program Also Includes Recognition of Austria's Annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—A further important detail of the discussions between M. Iswolsky and Baron Arhensthal, in their interview at Buchau has been learned...

THAW SENT BACK TO ASYLUM

RETURNED TO MATTEAWAN BY ORDER OF JUSTICE MILLS.

Trial by Jury Is Denied—Counsel for Prisoner Refuse to Submit Evidence of His Sanity.

White Plains, N. Y. — Harry K. Thaw will have to remain in the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y., until the court of appeals shall decide whether he is entitled to a hearing before a jury...

BULGARIA'S INTENTIONS.

Has No Plan to Send an Ultimatum to Turkey.

Paris, Oct. 16.—M. Stanchloff, the diplomatic agent of Bulgaria in Paris, is in receipt of official advices from Sofia, which deny the alarmist rumors current here of Bulgaria's purposes...

WELCOME AMERICAN SHIPS.

Japs Send Wireless Message of Friendly Greeting.

Tokio, Oct. 16.—The American battleship fleet, somewhat in advance of its schedule, has been sighted by the Japanese war vessels sent to convey a friendly greeting...

STANDARD OIL TANKS BURNED.

Baltimore, Md.—A spectacular fire broke out shortly before three o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Canton plant of the Standard Oil Company...

TEETH DRAWN; LOCKJAW RESULTS.

Beldvidere, N. J.—Mrs. Arthur Walters, 25 years old, died here Tuesday of lockjaw. Last Saturday she had 14 teeth drawn. The next day she became quite ill and Monday unmistakable signs of tetanus developed.

AURORA PRIEST FOUND DEAD.

Aurora, Ill.—Rev. Father Carl Schneckle, for 29 years rector of St. Nicholas German Catholic church of Aurora, was found dead in bed Wednesday morning. He was 62 years old.

GIVES MILLION TO A HOSPITAL.

New York.—James S. Kennedy, a New York banker, has given \$1,000,000 to the Presbyterian hospital of this city of which he is president.

LEAVES HIS BRAIN TO SCIENCE.

Newark, N. J.—The brain of Dr. Alexander Wilder, journalist and author of many works on evolution, philosophy, psychology and medicine, was bequeathed to Prof. Bert Green Wilder of Cornell university by the will of Dr. Wilder, which was filed for probate Tuesday.

"WETS" WIN IN OHIO COUNTY.

Columbus, O.—Putnam county Tuesday voted to retain saloons by a majority of 145. This is the third county in the state to vote "wet."

THE GALL BOY.



Well, Your Act Is Next.

EXPLORER HEADED FOR POLE.

First Message Is Received from the Cook Arctic Expedition.

New York. — The first message from Dr. Frederick E. Cook, the arctic explorer, since he started for the pole from a point north of Etah February 26, has been received in this city. It was brought here by Rudolph Franke, who accompanied Dr. Cook on the early stage of his journey...

ST. LOUIS NEGRO ARRESTED FOR BIG JEWELRY ROBBERY IN JUNE.

St. Louis.—Foster George, colored, was arrested at 2914 Pine street late Monday afternoon on a charge of stealing diamonds and jewelry exceeding in value \$35,000 from S. C. Powell, a wholesale jeweler at 170 Broadway, New York.

KILLED BY CANADA INDIANS.

Winnipeg, Man.—It is reported here that James Oliver Curwood, the well-known author of Detroit, Mich., who recently went into the Hudson Bay wilds for a Detroit publishing firm, has been killed by Indians in the Lac La Ronge country.

NETED EDUCATOR DIES SUDDENLY.

Norwich, Conn.—The death of Dr. Daniel Colt Gilman of Baltimore, formerly president of Johns Hopkins university, occurred here suddenly Tuesday afternoon. He had gone to his room to prepare for a drive after dinner, where he was found helpless on the floor by his wife. Dr. Gilman was born here July 6, 1831, and burial will take place here.

AFTER YOUNG CUDAHY AGAIN.

Omaha, Neb.—A stranger was found in the home of Edward A. Cudahy, the millionaire packer, Tuesday night, who made his escape out of an open window on the second floor when a servant girl screamed. He was well dressed and wore a silk hat. He was in the room of Edward Cudahy, Jr., who was kidnapped seven years ago.

WIRELESS SYSTEM ON BALLOON.

Washington.—The army dirigible balloon, which was purchased from Capt. Thomas S. Baldwin, will be fitted up with a wireless receiving and sending apparatus.

FUNERAL OF W. A. ROTHWELL.

Moberly, Mo.—The funeral of William A. Rothwell, Democratic national committeeman, took place Monday. Nearly all of the members of the committee appointed by Norman E. Mack, chairman of the national committee, were here.

BATDORF DROPS LIBEL SUIT.

St. Louis.—The libel suit of Col. Edwin Batdorf against former Gov. Lon V. Stephens for \$40,000 was dismissed in the circuit court here Monday for want of prosecution.

A SUDDEN GOLD.



Miss Helen Sauerbier, of 215 Main St., St. Joseph, Mich., writes an interesting letter on the subject of catching cold, which cannot fail to be of value to all women who catch cold easily.

PERUNA ADVISED FOR SUDDEN COLDS.

It Should be Taken According to Directions on the Bottle, at the First Appearance of the Cold. St. Joseph, Mich., Sept. 1, 1901.—Last winter I caught a sudden cold which developed into an unpleasant catarrh of the head and throat, depriving me of my appetite and usual good spirits...

NOT THE RIGHT MAN.



The Rejected—And will nothing make you change your mind? She—Yes, another man might.

GIRL WAS DELIRIOUS

With Fearful Eczema—Pain, Heat, and Tingling Were Excruciating—Cuticura Acted Like Magic. "An eruption broke out on my daughter's chest. I took her to a doctor, and he pronounced it to be eczema of a very bad form. He treated her, but the disease spread to her back, and then the whole of her head was affected, and all her hair had to be cut off...

JOHNNIE'S POSITION.

"Yes," began Mr. Peters, Sr., "Johnnie's position is a very delicate one. He is superintendent of the crack and cheese department," replied Mr. Peters, Sr., with guarded satisfaction. "He has the entire charge of wrapping up the cheese."—Youth's Companion.

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FARMER'S REPLY TO CRESS.

It seems that the democratic party has opened headquarters for the Negro contingent in the city of Chicago at 3160 State street. The leading spirit in this movement seems to be Dr. Henry C. Cress, who is chairman of the advisory committee. It is not how many positions Dr. Cress fills in this august body, but is his being hinted that Dr. Cress and one other constitute the strength of the Bryan movement among the Colored people in the city of Chicago. The stationary that they send out bears this strikingly inconsistent motto and heading. The motto is "With malice toward none but charity for all." The heading is "Cook County Executive Committee—The Lincoln Loyal League." This executive has been doing all it can to attract attention, even to the extent of attempting to disturb Republican meetings by hisses and ungentlemanly interruptions. Unable to secure an audience of its own, they struck upon the novel plan by which their chairman hoped to secure an audience through the assistance of the National Republican committee. With this brilliant idea in mind Dr. Cress sent a challenge to Mr. Walter N. Farmer, a member of the speakers bureau, of the National Republican committee for a joint discussion. Below is the Honorable Walter N. Farmer's answer to this challenge.

Oct, 6th., 1908.
Dr. Henry C. Cress,
Chairman, National Executive Committee,
Negro Anti-Taft League,
Chicago,

Dear Sir:
Your communication of Sept 30, embodying a challenge to a joint debate on the following subject, "Resolved that the success of the democratic party, in the pending election through the aid of the Negro will prove more advantageous to him than the success of the Republican party," has been received. Believing as I do that there is only one side to the resolution you suggest, I cannot accept your challenge. It is difficult for me to believe that you are serious in your contention that the Negro has more to gain by supporting the party of Bryan, Ben Tillman and Vardaman, than in supporting the Republican ticket. I believe that the Negro man who advises the race to support the democratic party at this critical part in our history is either too reckless in his conclusions to be trusted as a leader or is at heart absolutely indifferent to the best interest of his people. Entering such convictions therefore, I cannot and will not lend my support to any movement that tends in the remotest degree to mislead the Colored voters of this country. Our people are showing an increasing interest in the serious questions that confront them. We believe that never before in the history of the race in this country has a national election meant so much to them as the one to take place November 3rd., next. We are persuaded therefore, that every man of the race who is seriously interested in its welfare and future will carefully weigh the situation before attempting to advise any unfired and unusual course for our people, perchance there should be one of our race who has not thus carefully considered, calmly and seriously, the best interests of the race, then he must be a dangerous leader. If through Providence or opportunity any one of us is given advantage over the rest of our fellows, it is our duty to use the power thus gained in the service and interest of our race. We owe it to them, therefore, not to be hasty in judgment nor reckless in advice as the result may prove disastrous both to the leader and to the people who follow him. We believe the cause of ten million of people to be a sacred one. The struggle upward during this last 43 years has been a trying one but we are thankful to say that has been crowned with remarkable success. What we do in the approaching election may have a telling influence on what we are to accom-

plish in the next generation to follow.

The questions confronting the Negro are unlike those confronting any other class of people in this country. In every conflict the Negro must consider how his actions will affect his civil and political rights. No white man has this to consider in casting his vote next November. At most he is concerned about economic questions, protection to labor, protection to commerce, protection to manufacturing interests, banking interests and the like. We have starting us in the face the question of disfranchisement, of humiliating discriminations, Jim Crow cars, and a total exclusion from any participation in the affairs of government. How are we to be guided then in a matter so serious and so far-reaching. You realize that the past is a very excellent guide to the future and I am sure that you must agree with me that so far as the part is concerned, the democratic party has been the unyielding enemy of every interest dear to the Colored American citizen. Not only have they disfranchised the Negro and humiliated him by class legislation, but the leaders of the party are even menacing the rights and interests of the Negro in those states where he has enjoyed a certain degree of freedom and been permitted to cast his ballot unrestricted. Not content with disfranchising the Negro in the southern states, they declare themselves determined to repeal the 14th., and 15th., amendment to the constitution. They have let the Negro know that they do not want him in the democratic party. Congressman Rainey of Illinois, during a debate in the House of the 27th., of May 1908, said, "The democratic party is the white man's party in this country, in the north as well as in the south. We have been able to make it a white man's party in the past and do not care how long it remains white man's party." This view of Congressman Rainey, as you know, is concurred in by the leading democrats of the country, and when I mean those democrats who control the states that make up the bulk of the democratic party.

Here is Congressman Griggs of Georgia has to say about the Negro as a citizen and a voter: "There is not a white man in any of the so-called Negro states, who would gladly see the repeal of the constitutional amendment making the Negro a citizen and a voter." Now, those democratic friends of yours are not satisfied with disfranchising the Negro and humiliating in the states known as the "Solid South" but to further emphasize their determination to eliminate the Negro completely from politics, they have threatened to disfranchise him in every state north of the Mason and Dixon line that is known as a democratic state.

CEDAR RAPIDS NOTES.
On last Thursday the stewardesses were hostesses of a reception given in honor of the new pastor, Rev. B. W. Taylor. Welcome addresses were given from the departments of the Stewardess board, Trustees, Industrial Art club, steward board and Sunday school represented respectively by Mrs. E. C. Thomas, M. G. C. Tyler, Mrs. M. L. Lowery, Rev. A. Ford and Mr. L. D. Lowry. Music both vocal and instrumental being interspersed throughout the program. Dr. Taylor responded to these in a pleasing and instructive address. Lunch was served afterward in the basement and a good time enjoyed by all.

Little Ruth Boyd returned from Chicago Sunday where she accompanied her grandmas, Mrs. G. Gray on a visit to friends and relatives. Mrs. Gray will return in a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. Fry of Milwaukee who have been in our city for the past week left Saturday for Iowa City. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDavis.
Little Forest Martin is out again after quite a sick spell.
Miss Addie Diggs left Saturday for a few days visit in Muscatine with her father. She was accompanied by Mrs. O. Morris.
Mrs. Josephine Rice has been visiting in the city for several days, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Dixon. Mrs. Rice will return to Chicago this week, but will leave a little daughter to attend the public schools of this city.

KEOKUK NOTES.
(Last Week.)
The funeral of the late Lee Webb, was held Thursday afternoon from the residence, 1808 Franklin street. The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. T. Green, pastor of Pilgrim Rest Church. Mrs. D. A. Alexander of Topleva,

Kans., is visiting in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, 1123 Concert St. Mrs. F. D. Fields returned home Saturday evening from Chicago, where she has been visiting her son Oils for a fortnight.

Horace Craig left Thursday for St. Louis, Mo. where he has a position.
Miss Helen Wilson and sister Mrs. Madeline Scholter of St. Louis returned home Saturday evening and will remain indefinitely.
The annual Bazaar given by the Parish Aid society of the church of St. Mary the Virgin, the fourth week in October promises to be a success.
Miss Isabella Moore of Kansas City Mo., is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Kittle Brooks 1127 Orleans street.
Ralph Tebeau left Wednesday morning for Meaco City to enter college. He was accompanied as far as Hannibal, by his father Chas. Tebeau.
Mrs. F. D. Fields very charmingly entertained the Elite club Saturday afternoon Oct. 3rd in honor of her return home from Chicago. Each guest was presented with a souvenir spoon. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The guests were Mesdames Wm. Gross, Geo. Ashby, Chas. Tebeau J. Craig and A. J. Fields.

The death of Mrs. Green, a well-known and highly respected old lady occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Boyd Monday evening Oct. 5th at 6.30 o'clock.
The death of Charles Ford who accidentally shot himself Friday evening Oct. 2nd while entering a window at Craham hospital, where he was taken immediately after the accident.
The Blind Pianist Wonder appeared before a large audience Saturday at the A. M. E. church. The affair was given under the auspices of the Dorcas Organ fund and was a success. Blind Boone, the pianist kept the audience in good humor the entire evening with his laugh and gestures, which would peel forth as he would strike a favorite piece on the keys. The singing by Miss Emma Smith was also good.

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Sweet Apples, peck 44c
20 pounds Granulated Sugar with \$3.00 order \$1.00
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Mrs. F. D. Motts is visiting in Rock Island and Moline. She is on her way home from a visit with her sons and at the Robt. T. Motts home at Chicago.

Hayes Crayton accompanied N. L. Black to Chicago where he visited with friends for a week.

Services morning and evening Sunday at the A. M. E. church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. T. B. Stovall.

No little amount of interest is being manifested in the teacher's meetings that are being held each week at the homes of the different teachers.

The Chautauqua club will meet next Tuesday evening with Mrs. Redd to begin work for the winter.

CLINTON HAPPENINGS.
A financial rally is on by the members of Bethel A. M. E. church, for the purpose of raising funds for needed repairs on the church, raising it and general improvements.

Three clubs have been organized, captained by the following ladies, Mrs. Hollan Williams, Mrs. Emma Scott and Mrs. F. P. Aikens. Entertainment will be given on the following evenings by these clubs, Oct. 17, 21, and 31. A bazaar will also be held the last week in this month.

In our last correspondence, in the mention of the going away of Miss Lillian Hancock, her name appeared as Lizzie out of courtesy we make the correction.

Rev. S. L. Birt visited last week in Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. Emma Herron is in Rockford, Ill., where she will remain indefinitely.

Miss Anna B. Cooper left for Buxton last week where she will visit indefinitely.

M. J. Culbertson Jr. is home again after several weeks absence in Cedar Rapids.

Mr. John B. Easley of Pittsburg, Pa. and Mr. T. G. Dozier have formed a co-partnership in a business which will be known as the Pennsylvania Clothes Cleaning Co., located at 604 S. 6th street Clinton, north side. They also make a specialty of carpet and rug cleaning. The new firm starts out under favorable circumstances. We wish them success.

We want a few more subscribers, see the agent in person, write or telephone and your wants will be attended to.

SIoux CITY ITEMS.
The churches throughout the city observed parents' day Sunday which was issued by Gov. Cummins of our state. Some of the churches rendered a special program.

Mrs. James Washington of Mexico, formerly of our city, is in the city

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Mr. Carter is in the city on his way home to Coffeyville, Kans., where he expects to spend the winter. He is the guest of Rev. M. G. Newman and family.

A surprise party was given on little Katherine Downing. Twelve of her little playmates greeted her on last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna Roberts, 1410 Myrtle street. Games and music was the past time for the little ones. A three course luncheon was served. Mrs. Roberts was assisted by Mrs. Fannie Smith. The hour came for all the little friends of Katherine to bid her good bye, she is going to move to Chicago with her parents to reside in the future.

The Tuesday Night club of the A. M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Beatrice Freeman.

The Improvement society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fannie Smith.

The ladies of the Mt. Zion Baptist church gave an oyster supper last Wednesday evening.

Miss Emma Crawford and Mrs. Murphy spent Sunday at Sioux Falls, S. D., the guests of Mrs. Coleman.

Miss Mitchell of Boston, Mass., has come to our city to spend the winter in our midst.

The dances given by the Watkins' Band is becoming quite popular. They give one once a week.

Mrs. Mary Coburn who has been so poorly for some time, we are glad to note her being able to be out.

The Stewardesses of the A. M. E. church will have a rally Sunday.

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Mrs. Ida Downing and family will leave soon for Chicago to make the place their home. We are very sorry to lose such useful citizens, but our loss is Chicago's gain.

Mrs. Jerry Lee and her sister, Mrs. Slaughter returned home last week from St. Paul and Minneapolis, where they have spent a week visiting friends. A good time is reported.

DAVENPORT ITEMS.

A Midgett wedding was given at the Third Baptist church Wednesday 7th. Mary Ferguson and Eugene Ballard were the happy couple. Carl Holmes, son of Rev. D. A. Holmes was the officiating clergyman. There were six bridesmaids and six ushers, the best man was also included in the bridal party. An interesting program was rendered, after which supper was served in the basement of the church.

A grand Thanksgiving ball will be given Nov. 26 by Eureka lodge No. 38 at Rock Island Turner hall. Every body invited to attend.

Clarence T. Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Green, after spending two weeks at home with a rising and right hand, returned to work the week.

The L. J. D. club met this week at Mrs. E. Green, 316 West 5th street. After the routine of business a variety program was arranged for the occasion.

Mrs. E. Green while cleaning house Friday morning slipped and fell down stairs, knocking her knee cap out of place. It was necessary to call a doctor to attend the injury. At the writing she is able to be up but is proving very slowly.

They have begun work on the new church and are also planning for a rally the 18th of November. The people are looking forward to the time when they can meet in the new church which will be about the first of December.

The grand reception given at the A. M. E. church last Tuesday in honor of Rev. W. W. Williams and wife was a grand affair. After the program was rendered ice cream and cake was served to the guests. The reception was given by the Y. P. D. club in honor of the return of Rev. Williams and wife to our city for another year.

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