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CITY NEWS.

Miss Marie I. Bell is reported sick at her home on Jefferson avenue.

Mr. Clayborn of Marshalltown was in our city Saturday to attend the Virginian picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Graves and Family, Moulton, Iowa.

Mrs. Jessie Sparks of Oklahoma City, Okla., is in our city visiting with her sister, Mrs. McGuire.

Mr. Ernest Erickson arrived in the city the 12th with his bride, the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Erickson.

Mrs. E. Winn returned last week from Ottumwa, Iowa, where she has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. Mamie Henderson of Buxton, Iowa, is in the city visiting, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Rhodes.

Mrs. Arthur Jones has returned home from a visit to her old home in Missouri.

Miss Violet Fisher was the hostess to a number of her little friends in honor of Miss Dorothy Tillman last Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 6.

Mr. Clarence Bogan returned home Saturday on a two weeks' vacation spent at his old home, Moberly, Mo., with relatives and friends.

Mr. Henry Cook of Moberly, Mo., is spending a few days in our city visiting his friend, Mr. Clarence Bogan.

We are sorry to learn of the severe illness of Mrs. Wm. Johnson of Fourth Street Place and wish for her an early recovery.

Mrs. Catherine D. Tillman, formerly of Iowa, but now located in St. Joseph, Mo., where the Rev. is presiding elder of the northern district of Missouri.

Mr. E. T. Banks left Monday for Rock Island, Ill., to attend the annual convocation of the chapter and commandery of Illinois and Iowa. He is deputy eminent commander and they are anticipating a fine time there this week.

Those who left Wednesday for St. Joseph, Mo., to visit the grand Masonic lodge were John L. Thompson, G. M.; S. Joe Brown, S. G. W., and Prof. Lawrence C. Jones.

Miss Blanche Tucker of Hutchinson, Kansas, arrived last Sunday evening for an extended visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Erickson.

Mrs. L. R. Roberts has just purchased the N. Riley confectionery store at 1108 Center street and will open up a notion and grocery store combined. They are nice people and invite the public.

Mrs. James Hamilton of Chicago, who formerly lived here, has returned for an indefinite period with her daughter, Mrs. Price Alexander. Mrs. Hamilton has been in such poor health that she was compelled to take to her bed upon arriving here.

Prof. James McDaniel of Kansas City, Mo., is in our city the last week soliciting aid for the Enterprise Institute of Chicago. His brother, George, is president of the institution. They are both Iowa men, raised and educated in Leon, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Spencer of Grinnell, Iowa, spent Sunday in our city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Thompson. They united with the Union Congregational church.

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Mr. Clyde Glass will leave this week to visit in St. Louis, Mo., and other cities.

Mrs. J. T. Blagburn and sister, Mrs. H. Lewis, left this week to spend several weeks in Colorado. The former will remain there all winter. We are sorry to lose Mrs. Blagburn from our city so long.

Miss Gertrude Lucas of Bedford will arrive in Des Moines next week, en route to Buxton. While here she will be the guest of Miss Lillian Neal and Mrs. J. L. Thompson at 1306 Twentieth street.

Mr. Adam Dixon was the hostess last Tuesday afternoon to an automobile party given in honor of Mrs. Katherine D. Tillman. Others enjoying the party were Mesdames Lizzie Glass, J. H. Woods, J. H. McClain and S. Joe Brown.

Miss Florence Griffin entertained in honor of Mr. D. O. Heert, Esq., of Kansas City, Mo., at 6 o'clock dinner for six. All that were present felt highly honored to have the pleasure of meeting such a distinguished young man.

Mrs. Tillman was the complimented guest at a breakfast given Wednesday morning by Mrs. W. H. Humbard. Others present were Mesdames R. N. Hyde and S. Joe Brown.

Mrs. Katherine Tillman left Wednesday noon for her home in St. Joseph, Mo., accompanied by her daughter, Dorothy.

The Virginian picnic held last Saturday was a great success and well attended. Much credit must be given to W. K. Perry and Ed Reeves for originating this picnic. Certainly there must be more colored people in our city whose nativity is from Virginia than any other state except our sister state of Missouri. Several hundred attended this picnic. The following program was rendered: Invocation by Rev. S. Bates, address by Prof. L. W. Jones, Rev. T. Griffith, Geo. O. Terrell of Colfax and Rev. F. C. Bolding of Enterprise, also Rev. P. S. Irvin and Jessie Graves. Miss Mame Baker read a paper, Harry Crews was toastmaster. A fine dinner was served and ice cream for everybody.

LOST RELATIVES FOUND.
Separated from one another since they were 8 years old, more than fifty years ago, Mrs. Julia Winn of Ottumwa, who has not seen her sister, Mrs. Emery of Highland Park, this city. These sisters found one another through Mrs. James Bown of Ottumwa, who is a relative of them and had come up here to visit with Mrs. E. Winn. It must have been a great meeting for those sisters.

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OUR CITY CHURCH SERVICES.
St. Paul's A. M. E. church, corner of Second and Center streets. Rev. B. U. Taylor, pastor.
Morning services at 11 o'clock.
Class meeting immediately after services.
Sunday school at 3 o'clock p. m.
Allen C. E. at 6:30 o'clock p. m.
Evening services at 8 o'clock p. m.

Corinthian Baptist church, corner of Fifteenth and Linden streets. Rev. T. L. Griffith, pastor.

A series of sermons on letters to the Seven Churches of Asia.
Sunday August 17th.
A. M.—"The Letter to the church at Smyrna." Rev. 2:3-12.

The evening subject will be "The Waters of Marah and the Palm Groves of Eilim."

A cordial invitation to you.
Morning services at 10:30.
Sunday school at 12 o'clock.
B. Y. P. Union at 6:30 p. m.
Evening services at 7:30 p. m.

Maple Street Baptist church, between Eighth and Ninth street on Maple street. Rev. S. Bates, pastor.
Morning services at 11 o'clock a. m.
Sunday school at 1 o'clock p. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 6 o'clock p. m.
Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock p. m.

Union Congregational church, corner of Tenth and Park streets. Rev. T. M. Brumfield, pastor.
Morning services at 10:45.
Sunday school at 12 o'clock noon.

Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, 777 West Eleventh street. Rev. W. L. Lee, pastor.
Morning services at 11 o'clock a. m.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m.
Epworth League at 7 o'clock p. m.
Preaching services at 8 o'clock p. m.



DR. ARTHUR J. BOOKER.

While making our various tours about the country we are glad to call attention to the progress of our people in the various cities, which is to be seen under the head of "Editor's Observations." It seems fair that we turn our attention to some of Des Moines' people, hence we take pleasure in calling attention to one of our own young men, who has made good, and of whom all of us in Des Moines are proud.

The subject of this sketch is our own Dr. Arthur J. Booker. He came to our city about four and a half years ago and from the day he landed has made his way till now he is to be found in a magnificent suite of four rooms on our busy street. We took a few moments to look the place over and found everything imaginable for finding out people's troubles. There were scales to weigh on, instruments to take blood pressure, other instruments to tell the condition of the blood, X-Rays, violet lights, nose and throat apparatus and a room filled with white furniture, which is called a treatment room. Then there was a drug room and laboratory and all kinds of electrical apparatus. We found our old friend, Ira Jones, taking some electric treatments that he said made him feel like a kid again.

We were glad and interested in this, not only because Dr. Booker is our family physician, but because it shows the opportunity and possibilities for trained young men and women and the chances in our fair city. Dr. Booker is fortunate in having a competent young woman as a stenographer in the person of Miss Susie Lee of Clarinda, who does public stenography also.

Having some business in the large buildings, I thought that I would inquire among some of the leading physicians of the city to see what their opinions were. The first man we struck was the genial Dr. Fay,

chief surgeon of the Methodist hospital. He said: "Dr. Booker is one of the best men in the city and is a fine man. Not only did he come from one of the best schools in the country, but he was in Europe before I was. I have been with him in a number of cases at the hospital and always found him to be right. There is no question about him being well equipped."

We next talked with our old friend, Dr. Saylor, head of the city board of health. He said: "He is all right; he is safe and trustworthy; his judgment is good. We take his word absolutely over here and he made a fine record with us in the diphtheria epidemic last winter and had remarkable results. Two years ago he did not lose a typhoid case."

Dr. Duhig, who is the secretary of the Polk County Medical society, said: "I am glad you asked me about Booker. I am associated with him in the medical society and regard him as a worthy associate and a clean man. He comes from an accredited school and I am glad that the colored people of the community appreciate him. He is the best Negro doctor I have ever seen, here or in the east. He could not have come from North-western if he was not a good man."

I have gone at length in this matter to encourage our young men to prepare themselves and results will come. Here is a young man who finished from one of the best schools in the country, spent two years in a hospital and then studied in Paris and London. He taught two years at Drake university and is taking a high stand in his profession and is recognized as a fine physician by the best in the city. What our professional men need is ability to compete with any man in the same line of work and not depend on favors and bluffs. We wish all our men success and want to see them recognized by their fellows for their ability and not begging on account of lack of training. Good luck, Dr. Booker.



Hon. Wm. H. Lewis, former assistant U. S. attorney general, who speaks at the A. M. E. church Wednesday evening, August 20th, is one of the most distinguished men of our race in many respects, being a graduate of Harvard university, the greatest educational institution in America, and having served as a member of the state legislature of Massachusetts; was later U. S. district attorney

for the district of Massachusetts and until recently assistant to the attorney general of the U. S., which position is considered equal in rank to that of a member of the president's cabinet, and is the highest political office ever held by a Negro. He is an eloquent and interesting speaker and should be heard by every Negro in Iowa. The meeting opens at 8 o'clock. No reserved seats, so come early. Admission only 25 cents.

EDITOR'S OBSERVATIONS.

By John L. Thompson.
The beautiful city of Galesburg, Ill., was our next stop, which is the county seat of Knox county. There are more than 1,000 colored people living here and many of them are doing well. There are three colored churches. The A. M. E., recently rebuilt and made completely modern, is pastored by Rev. I. Birt, who is leading his congregation to a higher standard. The Baptist church is pastored by Rev. Warren, a young man of power and ability, and they are

also doing well. The A. M. E. Mission, formerly the old Christian church, does not have a preacher at present. Rev. W. W. Williams, one of the well known ministers of this district, is resting during the conference year in this city and is doing nicely. Mr. A. L. Harper, one of the leading men of the town, is United States mail carrier, who was appointed to succeed the late Mr. R. Worthington. He is doing well and owns a nice piece of property. Mr. J. W. Davis is still working at the same place. He is one of the veterans of the civil war. He is one of the men who enlisted in Iowa and is interested in the development of his old state. W. H. Jones is still on the mail service as carrier. Mr. U. G. Davis is still with the City Gas Co. as engineer. He has been with this company for over a half a century and is a skilled mechanic. C. M. Watkins still conducts his Turkish bath parlors at the Union hotel and is well and making good. He is a strong race man and interested in the progress we are making. Rev. S. B. Moore, presiding elder of the Des Moines district, lives here at 1041 South street, while his headquarters are in Des Moines. His efficient wife superintends his home with care and decision and they have a fine garden and lots of fruit on his place. Mrs. Mattie B. Thompson is still here and doing nicely. G. W. Kidd is still in the tonsorial parlors and would like to be remembered by his old Iowa friends. J. R. Allen on Mulberry street is doing well and owns nice property. Mr. Wm. Anderson and W. H. Corn are still working at the same place. Mrs. A. Hawkins owns nice property, so does C. C. Hopkins, who are among the oldest residents here. Mrs. S. J. Johnson, Mrs. Carrie Henderson, Mrs. Jessie McGill, Miss Jessie Hazel and Mrs. A. Berry are some of our new subscribers, who are respectable and well thought of here.

Kewanee was our next stop. There are but few colored people here, yet most of them are doing nicely. Mr. J. H. Orr is still working at the same place. Mr. Harry Johnson has been suffering for many months from blood poisoning in his hand, which unfits him for any labor at all. He is one of our leading men here. Mrs. F. Sullivan runs a successful boarding and rooming house. Mr. E. H. Adams is still in the restaurant business. Mr. E. Ellsworth is working for the music store and owns a nice truck garden at the outer edge of the city and is one of our race men in this town. Rev. A. Madison is still here. The A. M. E. church gave a Sunday school picnic, which Ye Editor enjoyed in the afternoon with the Kewanee people. The young ladies had a baseball game with the small boys and many other amusements for the public. Mr. Robert and E. P. Watts are successful young men of this town, also Mr. R. Thomas.

From Kewanee we visited Peoria, and here we found the colored people doing a little better than usual. It seems to be a home of business and literary development among our race in this town to what I observed two years ago. There are two churches here and both are doing nicely. Rev.

B. N. Murrell is pastor of the Baptist church and is one of the leading bright lights of the younger class of ministers in this city and is no doubt doing good work. The A. M. E. minister is a new man in this field, but seems to be an experienced man and splendid worker. Mr. C. Harper still conducts his pantatorium and business is increasing each month. He is a fine representative of the race. H. T. Johnson is still on the mail service and owns valuable property. Mr. A. Stokes and F. Sumner also own nice homes. Mr. Chas. F. Ruff, formerly a linotype operator of this city, is working here in one of the largest newspaper offices as an operator and is doing well. Charles has taken an interest in the literary work and with his ability and superior training would, no doubt, be a good leader of the people in literary work. He at one time was editor of the Iowa State Bystander. Dr. N. M. Crews, another Iowa man, has been quite sick, but is on the mend. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Young, the auctioneer, lives here, but they are planning on making their home in Iowa a few years. They are well known in this state and we would gladly welcome them. Mr. J. Hickman still runs his pool hall and rooming house and is doing well. J. Walker, Geo. Fields, E. P. Kaufman and B. T. Savage are some of the substantial citizens here, who are doing well. Mr. J. Thompson, formerly of Ottumwa, Iowa, has charge of the Country Club and is assisted by Willie Alexander and father, who were formerly of Ottumwa. We are delighted to know that our Iowa friends are still in Illinois and making good. Our next observation will be the little village on the lake, Chicago.

OSKALOOSA, IOWA.

Rev. T. J. Carr of Ottumwa was here two weeks assisting Rev. O. B. Smith with his tent meeting. He preached some very interesting sermons. Friday evening after meeting was over there was a reception given in honor of Rev. Carr.

The ladies gave a social Friday night at Mrs. Wheeler's on Ninth street west.

Mrs. Mattie Johnson of Des Moines, who has been sick at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Steward, since last February with rheumatism, is improving nicely.

Mrs. W. M. Taylor has returned home, after a two weeks' visit in Missouri with her husband, W. M. Taylor, who is employed at Taylor Bros. Candy Store.

Ralph Crowder is improving nicely, after swallowing a rusty nail.

Mrs. O. B. Smith and daughter,

Minna, were over Sunday visitors in Oskaloosa.

The amount raised at the tent meeting was \$87.76.

Service held on Sunday afternoon on E avenue west was very interesting, the laying of the cornerstone of the Second Baptist church. They have owned their lot for over three years. Rev. O. B. Smith, the pastor, was in general charge of the exercises. Music by the choir. Rev. F. B. Woodard of Buxton preached from the first Epistle of Peter 2-6, and it was thoroughly appropriate to the occasion. The audience was made up of both white and black citizens, who were interested. The cornerstone is a fine gray granite one. The building is 24 feet by 30 feet in size, costing \$500 or \$600. The Ladies' Aid society has been particularly helpful in raising their part of the funds. Rev. A. H. of Wesley chapel, Oskaloosa, and Bro. Neise of Buxton were in charge of raising the funds. Rev. Woodard at the close of the services laid the stone in the wall, assisted by Bro. J. M. Green and Bro. J. Steward.

Mrs. E. Jones and daughter, Edna, are visiting her sisters, Mrs. M. Bage and Mrs. A. Happ.

Mrs. M. Lewis Griffin of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. Johnson, 517 D avenue west.

Mrs. Williams and daughter of Kansas City, Mo., are here for an indefinite visit.

Luella Franklin is visiting in Chicago and Gary for a few months.

Mrs. L. Tolson was called to Jacksonville, Mo., on account of the serious illness of her husband, who went there to visit his mother. We hope to hear of him getting better soon.

Mrs. M. Bell is visiting at Albia for a week at Mrs. Nell Ester's.

CLARINDA, IOWA.

Mrs. M. Bowen returned from a two weeks' visit with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller are here from Leavenworth.

Mrs. Martha Lewis is here from Red Oak.

Rev. Mitchell, our Baptist minister, is here from Maryville today and will locate his family here in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, cooks at Henshaw, departed for Creston.

Mrs. A. Waters of Creston came down the 4th and attended the circus and took her niece and nephew back, who had been here on a month's visit.

Those who attended the Maryville celebration were Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Black, Glen King, Mrs. Nash and George Jones. All report a splendid time.

Mr. Williams was re-elected grand chancellor at the recent annual session at Buxton.

Mrs. Jane Montgomery has been very ill at her home.

Mrs. Clarence Baker of Atlantic, Iowa, is in the city, the guest of relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grigs, a son, August 1st. Mother and child doing nicely.

A lawn social was given at the A. M. E. parsonage, under the auspices of the stewardess board, and one at Mrs. Farrier's home under the supervision of the Ladies' Study club.

Mr. George Able and son, Henry, attended the funeral of a relative in Kansas City.

Mr. Ed Stewart has been on the sick list a few days the past week.

On next Saturday, the 16th, at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Pemberton, will occur the wedding of Miss Lydia Long to a young man of Kansas City. We have not yet learned the name of the groom, but do wish them all success in life.

NOTICE OF THANKS.

Through the columns of this paper we wish to thank our friends of Iowa, Minnesota and Missouri for their kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our beloved daughter and sister, Chenna.

Costly Treatment.

"I was troubled with constipation and indigestion and spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and treatment," writes C. H. Hines, of Whitlow, Ark. "I went to a St. Louis hospital, also to a hospital in New Orleans, but no cure was effected. On returning home I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets, and worked right along. I used them for some time and am now all right." Sold by all dealers.

GIVES PRIZE IN HONOR OF MOTHER.

Miss Fannie Grooms of Muscatine, Iowa, because of love for her mother and her race and her interest in the work of Mrs. Laurence C. Jones at Braxton, Miss., has decided to establish a yearly prize of ten dollars for the girl whose record displays the greatest concrete evidence of love for her mother and race.

It will always be remembered that Edward N. Taylor, an ex-slave, gave the first forty acres of land and \$50 toward the establishment of this school. He will be honored for it long after we have passed away.

There are others of our people in Iowa who are well able to do something for their race and The Bystander knows of no more needy or worthy place than the Piney Woods school at Braxton.

It is a genuine honor to have one's name written in the record of some progressive movement for future generations to refer to in making up the history of the race.

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Sunday, Aug. 24—Music Day, Liberator and Philharmonic Choir.
Monday, Aug. 25—Implement Dealers' Day, Special Fireworks.
Tuesday, Aug. 26—Old Soldiers and Pioneers' Day, Reunions.
Wednesday, Aug. 27—State Day, Big Fair Program, Great Racing.
Thursday, Aug. 28—Live Stock Day, Grand Million-dollar Parade.

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AFRO-AMERICAN CULLINGS

In the matter of zeal for restricting immigration, Mr. Burnett, of Alabama, who heads the house committee, is keeping pace with Senator Dillingham of Vermont, long chairman of the senate committee. This fact, according to Harper's Weekly, is significant. For many years, notwithstanding the south's failure to attract immigrants, southern congressmen pretty generally have intended to reduce the number of them. Still the south has kept hoping to get its share of them. There is as yet not enough evidence to show that the south has changed her mind, but there may be signs of less eagerness. This does not apply to immigration to the south from other parts of the country, which is earnestly solicited. One conjectures that, whatever change has occurred, is due to the character of the bulk of our recent immigration, to labor troubles, and, perhaps, to coming prosperity in the southern states. It is quite probable that more southerners, now that times are better than they used to be, are reflecting that racial homogeneity has its value, and that one race problem may be better than many. At the Richmond conference on southern education last April, one speaker urged the need of fresh blood in the south, and more racial strains, particularly in agriculture, but it seems probable that southerners more than ever are content with the stocks they have. This feeling apparently is not confined to the white people only. Booker Washington in a recent article takes a hopeful view of the Negro's chances in the competition with the white man, but in his "The Man Farthest Down," he says: "I have asked myself what would happen in our southern states if, as some people suggested, large numbers of these foreign peoples were induced to settle there. I greatly fear that if these people should come in large numbers and settle in colonies outside of the cities, where they would have comparatively few educational advantages and where they would be better able and more disposed to preserve their native customs and languages, we might have a racial problem in the south more difficult and more dangerous than that which is caused by the presence of the Negro." It looks as if the problem of many races is still to be mainly the north's and the west's; as if the south will continue to confine itself mainly to its one great problem.—Washington Herald.

Articles of incorporation for the Louise Training School for Colored Boys, to be built at Chicago, have been filed with the county recorder. The institution is aimed to "provide home and proper training for such boys as may be committed to its charge." The incorporators are Jailer Will T. Davis, J. Gray Lucas and William O. La Mante. The trustees include John L. Whitman, J. G. Brumfield, C. M. Reed, the Rev. F. Emory Lyon, J. F. Taylor, the Rev. Lee Jefferson, James McDonald, Mrs. Alice Caldwell, Mrs. E. J. Jenkinson, Mrs. Gertrude Howe Britton, Elizabeth McDonald and Mrs. Georgia Davies.

Tennessee has entered the list of states having consolidated country schools. By a law lately passed provision is made for the merging of country schools and the transportation of pupils.

Mrs. J. D. Hammond of Atlanta, Ga., wife of the president of Paine college, who describes herself as "the child, grandchild and great-grandchild of southern slave owners, has in mind an enterprise which has for its purpose the proper housing of colored people, which she holds is the center of the whole Negro problem. Mrs. Hammond plans to purchase a block of land about six acres in size, and upon four acres to build double three-room houses, each being supplied with modern conveniences, the cost of which she estimates at \$800. The rent will be about \$2 a room a month—all these people can pay. With each house garden space is to be reserved in the rear. The extra two acres are to be used as a playground for children, and also afford room for a community house in which can be a kindergarten room, and others for a boys' club, cooking and sewing classes, free baths, a laundry and a drying room. In her campaign for \$50,000 to carry out her project Mrs. Hammond has the support of some of the leading bankers, business men and educators of the south.

According to the mortality statistics compiled by the United States census bureau in 1906, from a registration area comprising slightly less than one-half of the population of the United States, there were 6,324 deaths from whooping cough in that area among children under five years of age.

Briquetting the abundant lignites of Saskatchewan is interesting the government of that Canadian province, which has sent G. B. Buchell, a mining expert, to Germany to study the utilization of low grade coal.

Recent investigations indicate that the greater portion of the diet of the bat consists of mosquitoes, and advantage is being taken of this fact in ridding communities in Texas and other southern states of the mosquito pest, says Popular Mechanics magazine.

Taking advice is sometimes worse than giving it.

Be kind to the leeman. The ancients did not patronize him in the good old summer time, and just look at them today.

James H. Dillard, president of the Jeanes Fund board and director of the John F. Slater fund, sends the following communication to the Boston Transcript:

If I may be permitted I should be glad, through your paper, to call attention to a fine work which has been begun in Nashville, Tenn., for the training of colored social workers. The school is under the direction of a representative board composed of such men as Chancellor Kirkland of Vanderbilt university, Dr. Booker T. Washington, Bishop Thirkield, Hon. J. C. Napier, and others. The moving spirit and executive secretary is Mr. J. E. McCulloch, who is also secretary of the Southern Sociological congress. A man of devoted ability and enthusiasm. Any one who may be interested in this needed work may get information by writing to Mr. McCulloch at Nashville. The school of course stands in need of assistance. I know of few places where assistance would be as wisely bestowed.

Two features of this work should commend themselves to people in the north who wish to aid in improving conditions among the colored people of the south. First, the school is inter-church, all denominations being represented on its board. I recently attended a meeting of the board at which were present a leading colored Methodist bishop and also one of the most prominent colored Baptist ministers of the south. Such inter-denominational cooperation is much to be welcomed, especially where denominational feelings are so strong. Second, the school is most valuable in emphasizing the need of recognizing the importance of social work in the churches. There is great and immediate need of extending this idea throughout the colored churches in the south, and with adequate support this undertaking in Nashville can exercise an important influence in this direction.

A fact which is not widely known is that the office of collector of the port at the capital of the United States almost invariably is given to a Negro. The office is not so important as it was, but still carries some prestige with it. Georgetown, a section of Washington, is the port of entry of the United States, and at one time was one of the chief ports of the United States, being a shipping point for huge quantities of Virginia and Maryland tobacco. Whitefield McKinley, a Negro, is the present collector of Georgetown. W. H. Lewis, a Negro of Massachusetts, until recently held the high office of assistant attorney-general of the United States. In fact, if you go down the list a good many high jobs will be found to be filled by the Negroes. Not long ago Negroes held some of the high elective offices in Washington. There was a Negro member of the house of representatives, James J. Lynch of Mississippi, until 1900. Lynch was permanent chairman of the Republican national convention which nominated President Harrison. Perhaps the foremost negro politician of the country was old Senator Bruce, who for several years represented Mississippi in the United States senate. His son, Roscoe Conkling Bruce, is at present assistant superintendent of schools of the district. United States Senator White of North Carolina was also a Negro. Frederick Douglass was a Negro who occupied a prominent position in American politics, but he was nearly white.

Although he has no medals of honor, Robert Dorsey, a thirteen-year-old colored youth at Washington, D. C., is a hero in the eyes of his young friends, for the other day, at the peril of his own life, he made a dive in Rock creek and pulled out a drowning boy, also colored. So unimpressed was the rescuer with what he had done that he did not even ask the other boy his name, and the rescued lad, after emitting several quarts of Rock creek water, was so glad to find himself alive that he "beat it" home in quick order. Robert was just preparing to take a dip in what is known as "the baby hole." He had his back to the water and had on only a portion of his bathing suit when one of his comrades on shore called that a boy had waded out beyond his depth and was sinking. When Robert turned toward the water he could see only the tip ends of the hands of the imperiled one. These disappeared from sight as the young life saver made a flying leap into the water. He soon had the other boy on shore. The youngster was unharmed except from slight strangling and fright, Robert was good as new after the exploit.

Reports from 30 states show that 6,251 children died of whooping cough, 4,232 from scarlet fever and 9,579 from diphtheria in these states during the year 1911. The relative mortality from whooping cough, scarlet fever and diphtheria is essentially the same throughout the country, whooping cough being almost everywhere more fatal than scarlet fever and less fatal than diphtheria.

Did you ever get nervous prostration from trying to make others happy? No?

The meat trust makes the lover of pork chops bristle with indignation.

Some people think it is queer that we have no female after-dinner speakers, but there is nothing queer about it. Women tell all they know before dinner is half over.

In the southern states alone Negroes are proprietors of 10,000 general stores, 300 pharmacies and 37 banking institutions. In the entire country they own 20,000,000 acres of land and more than 600,000 houses.

SPIES AT CAPITAL

Guards and Doorkeepers Serve No Purpose.

Recent Theft of the Plans for New Battleship Not an Isolated Case—Big Business Interests Seek "Inside Information."

Washington.—The flurry occasioned here recently by the disclosure of the fact that certain tracings of the plans for the projected new battleship Pennsylvania had been stolen from the navy department served to enliven a dull period and add a note of excitement to the waning discussion of the California-Japanese "crisis."

The officials of the navy department seem entirely in good faith in their declaration that the "missing tracings" are of comparatively small importance, and do not disclose any "naval secrets," which would be of value to anybody.

The experience has been a valuable one, if only because it has brought to notice a condition of carelessness and loose management making it possible for any person in or out of the department to purloin papers or other things of value. The same is true of nearly all of the departments. The corridors of all the public buildings are lined with so-called doorkeepers and messengers; more than would be needed to guard the treasures of royalty. Generally speaking, they serve no purpose whatever except to multiply the annoyance of persons having legitimate business in the department. Right under the noses of this horde of hangers-on, and of regiments of clerks—to say nothing of bureau chiefs—informed of supposed value is taken, and no one the wiser.

Evidently the drawing first stolen was disappointing; for several weeks later a duplicate, presumably in a more finished condition, was stolen from the same room.

And there have been other thefts since of things of lesser value, but all contributing to indicate that some one within the navy department was guilty. As usual, the empty stables were carefully locked and a force of detectives was set to work to watch every person who might have access to the place.

It is typical of the present state of the public mind that there should be all this furor over a thing of this kind, affecting the subject of war. The theft of a so-called "military secret" is received with a gusto attaching to no other kind of theft. Espionage of forts and ships and such like is no doubt a terrible thing, and the foreign "spy" or domestic traitor who does it should be forthwith arrested and visited with dire penalties.

Yet upon second thought one wonders what of special use it would be to a foreign naval commander to know, however minutely, the system of electric wiring on the ship with which he was going forth to do battle. With which of his heavy guns will he aim so accurately as to cut the slender nerve that controls the forward turret or all the turrets of the enemy? Gunners has attained remarkable perfection, no doubt; but hardly has it reached the point where the location of wires becomes a part of the curriculum of the gunner.

As for the general plan and construction of the battleship, everything practical that one could learn from drawings may be observed by any visitor upon the beautifully accurate models of the ships of the United States navy which line the corridors of the navy department and afford material for the eloquence of a score of guides.

It is most likely that some poor creature in one of the navy department bureaus saw in these drawings for the Pennsylvania, so ready to his hand and unprotected by even the most superficial system of care, a chance to peddle supposedly valuable secrets to the naval attaché of some foreign embassy. In any club of Washington you can hear plausible tales of this sort of thing, the nation of the alleged offender varying with the nationality of the narrator.

Now, you must be careful of the celery you eat. Almost everything else is condemned or officially "suspected" at one time or another, but celery has managed to escape up to this time. Now the department of agriculture has discovered that there is copper in lots of celery, and has issued a warning to housewives to give it a good washing before putting it on the table. The copper comes from a spray used by the farmers to kill bugs. The department says:

"The use of salts of copper in food products was decided by the reference board to be deleterious to health. Under food inspection decision, 148 and 149, the importation of canned fruits and canned vegetables green with copper has been stopped. This is parallel to the laws of France, where the use of copper vessels is forbidden in packing food products.

"The proof of the presence of copper in raw celery was obtained by analysis of samples offered for sale in the markets of the District of Columbia and other cities. Analysis of four different samples of celery showed that before washing the edible part of the outside stalks contained from 9.1 to 29.2 parts of copper per million, or less than one-sixth to one-half of copper per two and one-quarter pounds of celery.

"The copper in the inside or heart of stalks was much smaller in amount

and ranged from 3.8 to 10.3 parts per million. In the leaves of the celery, however, which are parts of the plant especially sprayed with bordeaux mixture, there were found from 187.6 to 288.4 parts of copper per million parts. The chemists found that most of the copper in the inner and outer stalks disappeared on washing."

The United States Treasury handled in actual cash during the fiscal year ended June 30 the stupendous sum of \$7,071,520,000, breaking all records and stamping the federal treasury officials "sciacore," as the greatest banking institution in the world.

Reflecting the tremendous growth of the government's business, this high record, including income, outgo and operations within the treasury, exceeded the cash transactions of the previous year by \$49,749,000, and those of three years ago by \$1,478,826,000. The figures show that treasury officials during the year just closed handled in cash nearly twice the amount of the total stock of money in the United States, which is estimated at \$3,720,000,000.

Including bonds, checks and warrants, the treasury handled over \$10,000,000,000 during the year. This vast aggregation of wealth, which does not include the transactions of the subtreasuries, was handled, it was pointed out, without the loss of a cent to the government.

The receiving teller of the government took in over the counter \$76,353,000 during the year; the paying teller cashed \$118,177,000 in checks and warrants; the shipping teller sent \$884,518,000 to various parts of the country, and the "change teller" made "small change" for more than \$50,000,000. The government received for redemption during the year \$606,668,000 in time-worn United States currency and \$675,889,000 in national bank notes.

ECONOMY IN CANNING SEASON

Odds and Ends of Fruits and Vegetables That Have Lost Their First Freshness May Be Utilized.

One bright woman noticed that her market gardener always had some vegetables and fruit left over each day; some days there would not be much, other days there would be quite a surplus. She saw that he was throwing away vegetables and fruits that only lacked their first freshness, so she made arrangements with him to buy all this surplus at a very small price, and in this way get a winter's supply of homemade canned goods at a much less cost than in the usual way.

She makes ripe tomatoes up into catsups, dries and pickles green beans and peas, dries and cans sweet corn, puts cucumbers down in pickle, picks young beets and cans them and cans fruit or makes it into preserves and butters.

She has found that canning by the freezeless method is a great saver. By canning in this way the house is kept cool, fuel is saved and she is free from the fear of water boiling away. Clean and prepare the vegetables as for all canning.

Select beets of uniform size and leave in the cooker three and one-half hours. Cauliflower should be separated into its flowerets and well washed to free from insects. Leave in the cooker three hours. Asparagus, peas and young string beans do not need to be left in as long as harder vegetables. Fruits should be canned in the same way. Soft berries should be taken from the cooker in three-quarters of an hour. Apples and pears should be left an hour. Pineapple would take two and one-half hours.

Superior Even to Good Pie

Apple Puffs a Delicious Method of Preparing Dessert That is Popular With All.

Pare and slice six tart apples; stew them and strain them through a colander; sweeten and add a pinch of salt; let this cool while you make your paste, of two spoonfuls of butter worked into eight spoonfuls of flour; add ice water to make consistency of bread dough; put on a molding board and roll quite thin; scatter small pieces of butter over this, and dredge with flour, then fold it up and roll quite thin again; repeat this operation any number of times, always rolling the paste into something like a square form. Cut the paste into pieces four inches square, put a small spoonful of sauce on one-half of the square, moisten the paste around it with water, and fold the other half over it. Make the edges perfectly smooth. Bake in a dripping pan, lined with paper, in a quick oven. When you take them from the oven sift a little powdered sugar over each puff.

Bolled Flank of Beef.

This is a part of the beef that most people consider useless, but this way it is all right. Wash the flank and make a dressing as for turkey. Salt the meat and spread the dressing over it, roll up and tie by winding quite a lot of string around it. Then sew up in a thin cloth, a piece of cheese cloth is nice to use. Put a plate in a pot and lay the meat on it, put in about six quarts of boiling water and boil gently about six hours. When done remove the cloth, but do not remove the string until cold. Slice thin and I think you will say it is all right. You can use the corned or the fresh flank. If you use the corned, don't have it corned too much.

Bread and Butter Crips.

For this a fresh loaf, baked so as to give a square slice, will be needed. With a sharp knife cut off all the crust; butter one of the loaf and shave off in the thinnest slices possible. Roll each slice up tightly and fasten with a wooden toothpick. Lay on a flat pan, and place in a quick oven until crisp and lightly browned. Remove the toothpick, and serve hot or cold; they are especially good with a salad.

Delicious Lemonade.

Squeeze the juice from six lemons and strain it into a glass pitcher which has been half filled with chipped ice, add six tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, pour in a quart of water, add a half dozen slices of lemon and then stir the whole well with a long-handled wooden spoon and, last of all, pour in a bottle of ginger ale. This drink is refreshing beyond expression.

Sugar Potatoes.

Six sweet potatoes, one cup white sugar, one-half cup water, one teaspoonful butter. Parboil, peel and cut potatoes into quarter-inch slices. Cook the other ingredients to form a syrup. Place the slices of potato in the sirup and simmer gently for an hour, then let the sirup boil away until it is almost dry. Serve with meats.

Lemonade Hint.

When making lemonade dissolve the sugar in a little hot water before putting it into the lemonade. This keeps the sugar from sinking to the bottom of the glass and sweetens it more quickly. Another method is to put the lemon in hot water before squeezing, as it gives as much juice.

Mutton Sandwiches With Peas.

Butter slices of white bread and put over one-half a lettuce leaf, then thin slices of cold boiled mutton. Mix together half a pint of peas that have been seasoned with salt, pepper and a little butter; then a spoon of salad dressing, another leaf of lettuce, then another slice of buttered bread.

Salt Cutlets.

Soak six thin slices of salt pork in milk and water over night. Roll each slice in flour and fry crisp and brown in lard. Then dip each slice in beaten egg, roll in bread crumbs and return for a few moments to the hot fat. A good relish.

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LADY SPRING-RICE A NATIVE OF WASHINGTON

Spring-Rice, is really what is vaguely known as a cosmopolitan. One of her chief joys, says her husband, will be to discover how many old friends are now residing in Washington both in the diplomatic corps and in American public life.

Lady Spring-Rice, the wife of the British ambassador, enjoys the unique distinction of being a native Washingtonian, while at the same time to the last degree British, without any kinship with the younger English-speaking nation. She was born here during her parents' residence, and there remain old inhabitants who still remember the little girl of three as she was when her father was removed to another capital.

In Sir Cecil and Lady Spring-Rice may be found another example of the liberal-minded, democratic representatives of his Britannic majesty made familiar in Mr. and Mrs. James Bryce. It fits entirely with the leveling process apparent everywhere that Great Britain, hitherto aloof and caste-ridden, is represented here by a man who knows this country as his own and who has always manifested a sincere admiration for republicanism in the least interpretation of the word.

Lady Spring-Rice offers delightful possibilities, to Washington generally rather than to the inner circle where in the former Britishers have revolved.

Washington has not yet had the pleasure of welcoming this latest addition to the ambassadorial set, for she went direct to Dublin, N. H., from her steamer. She has not been strong this past year, and her husband was solicitous lest the excitement attendant on her arrival at the new home might prove too fatiguing.

As the daughter of a diplomat and statesman whose name is international, Sir Francis or more familiarly known Frank Lancelles, Lady

MAP OF WHOLE WORLD, PLAN OF SCIENTISTS

According to a report made by Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, U. S. N., retired, discoverer of the north pole, to the National Geographic society, the most famous geographers of all countries are soon to prepare an aeronautical map of the whole world.

This was decided at the tenth International Geographic congress, which was held at Rome in April. For the purpose an international meeting will be called, which will determine conventional signs and rules of uniform construction for such a chart, which is to be on a scale of 1:200,000.

Ten other propositions of international interest to geographers were approved by the congress, the most important of which are detailed in Admiral Peary's report, which has just reached the National Geographic society. Admiral Peary was one of the delegates to the congress from the society; the other American members of the organization of the congress being Henry Gannett, president of the Peary Arctic club; Rear Admiral Colby M. Chester, U. S. N.; Prof. Libbey of Princeton university, Dr. Arthur L. Day of Washington, W. W. Rockhill and Prof. Davis, Ward and Daly of Harvard university.

Among the propositions approved by the congress, in addition to the one for the aeronautical map, Admiral Peary says in his report, may be noted the following:

"To convene another official conference, in Paris, near the end of the current year, to which delegates from all civilized countries are to be invited, to determine questions of detail of a 1-100,000 world map.

"That the most important problems to be settled in connection with the international exploration of the north Atlantic ocean relate to the size, the regional extent and the nature of the periodical variations of water layers to the depth of 1,000 meters, and it was recommended to continue systematic observations upon ocean currents and upon the temperature and salinity near the surface of the sea.

"That the Royal Danish Geographical society invite the general secretaries of the principal geographical societies of the world to meet in Denmark in 1914 for the purpose of organizing a world union of geographical societies.

"To organize in each country during the summer vacation periods of the higher institutions of learning international courses of instruction in geography, in which foreign savants would be invited to take part. The plan contemplates also the founding of an international geographical institute, the seat of which is left for later determination, this institute to direct and coordinate the studies and all geographical initiatives which have an international character.

"For the preparation of a universal geography as a complement to the 1-1,000,000 world map, and the presentation to the next congress of a practical working plan for such preparation."

SOCIETY MADE MRS. CARTER'S POODLE SICK

Not louder shrieks to pitying heavens are cast. When husbands, or when lapdogs, breathe their last.

Alexander Pope, you may remember, wrote that. So it is evident that away back in those days, there were women who loved their canine pets just about as much as does Mrs. William E. Carter of Bryn Mawr, New York, Philadelphia, Newport and various other centers of fashion. Mrs. Carter, it will be remembered, is the woman who has retired from social circles temporarily while her Pekinese poodle, Hee Too, is recovering from an attack of nervous prostration brought on by the festivities of the fashionable summer season.

Mrs. Carter has a specialist and a trained nurse down from New York to help her care for Hee Too, and it is believed that with rest and good care the patient will recover. Until he does there is nothing doing in the social line at the Carter villa in Newport.

Mrs. Carter paid \$5,000 for Hee Too, but she thinks more of him than the five thousand vulgar dollars represent. He has a pedigree as long as your arm and there are some fanciers who

insist that Hee Too is a distant relation of a blue-blooded ancestor that once sat in the lap of Queen Victoria and was fondled frequently by the late King Edward.

But his pedigree is not the only claim to distinction which Hee Too possesses. He's a trick dog who can actually sit up and beg, can jump through a hoop and they do say he has table manners so elegant as to make the most fastidious of his royal breed sit up and take exceptional notice.

There is a certain sentiment surrounding the poodle, too. Mrs. Carter made a trip to England especially to get Hee Too. She had a dog just like Hee Too, and she thought a lot of it. With her husband she was bringing the original Hee Too back from Europe on the Titanic, when that steamship struck an iceberg and went to the bottom. Hee Too the First, with a half dozen canine companions, was swallowed up in the waters.

The first Hee Too was a great favorite with Mrs. Carter, and there was much ado about his sudden and early demise. The Carters, who looked for Hee Too in London, were told by all the world like a twin brother of Hee Too the First. So Mrs. Carter got aboard ship, took a trip to England and brought back with her the Hee Too which is now prostrated at Newport.

Two Kinds of Truth.

The custom of resorting to an oath in extreme cases, sanctified as it is by all religious antiquity, is apt to introduce in to the laxer sort of minds the notion of two kinds of truth; the one applicable to the solemn affairs of justice and the other to the common proceedings of daily intercourse. As truth bound upon the conscience by an oath can be but truth, so in the common affirmations of the shop and the market place a latitude is expected and conceded upon questions wanting this solemn covenant. Something less than truth satisfies.—Charles Lamb.

Like Daniel.

An American, called upon to return thanks for the "distinguishing strangers" at a public dinner, said:

"This is quite unexpected, in fact, when I came into this lions' den, much like Daniel in the place and when Daniel got into the place and looked around, he thought to himself, 'Whoever's got to do the after-dinner speaking, it won't be me!'"

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WASHINGTON, IOWA NOTES.

"Doc" Watts of Mt. Pleasant was in Washington last week with the Al G. Barnes circus. Mrs. Walter Williams returned from a visit in Muscatine on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. N. L. Black, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is convalescing. The youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Daniels took suddenly ill Tuesday about noon and was seriously sick for some time, but recovered during the afternoon. Miss Iota Phillips left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives and friends at Clinton, Iowa. Mr. Geo. Young of Peoria, Ill., was in the city last week en route to Keosauqua, where he sold his goods. Geo. is one of the best auctioneers on the road and he sells some goods, too. Mrs. S. W. Calloway and daughter, Margaret, have returned to Chicago, after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. N. L. Black. Master Raymond Hall was overcome with the heat Wednesday of last week and was pretty sick that day. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Turner last week. Tom Price of Fairfield was in town last week. Miss Nora Motz is nursing in Fairfield. Mrs. Miles Shelton and daughters, Mrs. Henry Sneed and Miss Blanche, of Chicago are guests at the Lewis Wallace home. The stewards' social at the A. M. E. church last week was a financial success. Mr. and Mrs. Merical of Sigourney visited at the Horace Spencer home July 30th. Rev. D. W. Brown of the A. M. E. church has been appointed a member of the commission for the emancipation semi-centennial celebration of Illinois by Governor Dunne. The Illinois legislature recently appropriated \$25,000 for the cause. The celebration is to be in 1915. Rev. Brown is a worthy acquisition to the commission. Mrs. D. W. Brown and Mrs. M. Grant of Keokuk went to Ottumwa last week to attend the meeting of the missionary societies of the Fourth-episcopal Conference of the A. M. E. church. They report a good time and a grand convention. Mr. Will Greenway of Muscatine, Mrs. Dora Rice and son, George, of Omaha and Mrs. Anderson of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, were guests at the Walter Williams home Thursday, July 31st. G. W. Black sold his barber shop last week and is out of the barber business now, the first time in many years. He barbered sixty-three years; came to Washington in 1856; served in the civil war three years in the Sixtieth U. S. Col. Inf. Died—Saturday, August 2d, at 10:15 p. m., at his home on South Avenue B, suddenly, of bladder trouble, Samuel Hall, Sr., aged 95 years, 2 months and 26 days. Funeral services were held from the A. M. E. church Tuesday at 3 o'clock p. m., conducted by the Rev. T. B. Stovall of Davenport, assisted by the Rev. D. W. Brown of the A. M. E. church, Rev. D. J. Masson of the Associate Presbyterian church and Rev. S. E. Greer of the Reformed Presbyterian church. Music furnished by quartet. The pall bearers were sons and grandsons, viz: Messrs. Augustus, Moses and Abram Hall and Orison Tiffin of Moline, Phillip Rushing and Samuel Hall, Jr. Interment was in the city cemetery, followed by a large concourse of friends. Samuel Hall was born in slavery in Idel county, N. C., May 7, 1818, and came to Washington in 1864. He had a hard, cruel early life, but his later life was full of happiness. He was a man of deeply religious convictions and he lived and died in the hope of an eternal happiness that would make full amends for the injustices which he endured in the south for over two score years. Mr. Hall united with the A. M. E. church in this city. He is survived by six children, Augustus of West Liberty, Benjamin of Honolulu, Isaac of Peoria, Ill., Moses and Abram of this city and Mrs. Anna Cecile, with whom he lived. Also eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Mrs. Wm. Taylor of Rock Island, Ill., a granddaughter, was reared at the Hall home and as one of the children. The following came to Washington on Monday to attend the funeral of Samuel Hall, Sr.: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart of Moline, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Hall of West Liberty, Iowa, Mrs. Wm. Taylor of Rock Island, Ill., Mr. Orrison Tiffin of Moline, Ill., Rev. T. B. Stovall of Davenport.

and Mrs. William Shepard while in the city at 2930 Grand avenue. The bishop left for Keokuk on Tuesday a. m. The Third Baptist church will have a rally party on the 15th inst. Mrs. T. B. Stovall, who has had quite a sore hand, is some better at this writing. Mrs. Mary Sackett was at the dedication Sunday, the first time she has been able to get out for four years. Mr. Maisson, the expressman, is getting himself quite a good name by bringing the old people to church in his buggy. Master Lyman Shepard remains quite ill at his home on West Ninth street. Mrs. Ella Jones of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mitchell, of Ganis street. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burkly of Washington, Ill., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. F. Phillips, returned home Tuesday p. m. Mr. Joseph Burton of southern Illinois visited Bethel, his old church, Sunday. The Third Baptist church will have a rally on the fourth Sunday. As we go to press Mrs. F. S. Nicholson is managing a concert given by the young people of the church and Sunday school. We are sorry to report that Mrs. Hattie Lambert of South Rock Island, one of the stewardesses of Bethel church, Davenport, Iowa, is reported quite sick. Hiram lodge, No. 19, A. F. & A. M., are arranging for a lawn party at the residence of the master, J. F. Bradford, on West Eleventh street. Hiram lodge, No. 19, A. F. & A. M., meets first and fourth Fridays in each month.

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DAVENPORT NOTES.

Bethel A. M. E. church was dedicated Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., by Rt. Rev. B. F. Lee. The services were solemn and impressive. Elders Boyd, Stovall and Saunders assisted in the dedication. The bishop took for his text the 84 Ps. The choir sang sweetly hymns, anthems and solos appropriate for the occasion. Mrs. Sarah Bean presided at the organ, while the organist, Mrs. Eugene Green, joined the choir with her sweet alto. A goodly number of out of town visitors helped to swell the large crowds at Bethel church all day and evening. Monday evening, August 11th, Bishop Lee gave a lecture. Subject, "The Hand of God Working With Man." The lecture was well delivered and highly appreciated. Mrs. Pearl Edwards rendered an instrumental solo and Mrs. Elmira Shelton sang a solo. The choir sang effectively "How Firm a Foundation." After the lecture the large audience repaired to the dining hall, where a reception in honor of Bishop Lee was given. The bishop met the people in a social way as a loving father would meet his family. Bethel A. M. E. church closed the Trine rally with the bishop's lecture and are pleased to report a neat sum of \$590.10, with many thanks to all who in any way helped to make this sum possible. Bishop Lee was entertained by Mr.

KEOKUK NEWS.

A bounteous course dinner, to which only relatives were present, was served one evening last week at the home of Mrs. Martha Saunders

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF THE "HOME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION (INC)."

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have associated themselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation for pecuniary profit; that the name of said corporation is "Home Protective Association (Inc)," and its principal place of business is Des Moines, Iowa. Said corporation is to engage in the business of organizing and promoting clubs, lodges and associations of various kinds, and in printing, publishing and manufacturing supplies for lodges, clubs, or associations; and of selling the same either in a wholesale or retail way; shall have power to engage in the printing or publishing of periodicals, books or magazines of any nature desired and of selling and distributing the same. The authorized capital stock is \$10,000.00, \$200.00 of which is to be paid in cash upon the completion of the organization, at which time business may commence, balance to be paid in at such times as the board of directors may desire. The corporation to commence business on the 20th day of May, 1913, and to continue for twenty years from said date. The business of the corporation shall be managed by a president, secretary and treasurer and by a board of three directors. The directors to be chosen at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders, which is to be held on the second Tuesday of January of each year. They shall hold said offices until their successors are elected and qualified. The president, secretary and treasurer shall be elected at any regular meeting of the board of directors and shall serve until their successors are chosen and qualified. The officers for the coming year shall be as follows: L. W. Carman, president. N. L. Phillips, secretary. M. D. Woods, treasurer. Same persons to act as directors. The highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation shall subject itself at any time shall not exceed two-thirds of the amount of its capital stock. All private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from all liabilities, indebtedness, undertakings and obligations of this corporation. L. W. Carman. N. L. Phillips. M. D. Woods. By Marion D. Woods, attorney, Des Moines, Iowa.

MOLINE, ILL.

(Special to Bystander.) Bishop Lee of Wilberforce, O., arrived in our city over the Rock Island road from Chicago early Saturday morning and was the guest of A. Boyd and family while in the city. He preached at St. Paul's A. M. E. church Sunday morning and left for Davenport, where he dedicated the Davenport Bethel A. M. E. church at 3 p. m. Sunday. After the dedication service he returned to Rock Island, where he preached for Rev. Saunders in the evening. The bishop is in good health and is doing more and better work than many of our young men are able to do. Miss Clara B. Curd and Mr. Harry Stewart left last Wednesday evening, August 6th, for Clinton, Iowa, where they were to be united in marriage, going from Clinton to Kansas on a wedding tour, where they will spend a short time, returning to Moline, where they intend to make their home. Both young people were useful members of society. Miss Curd has for some time held the position of organist at the A. M. E. church and Sunday school. Mr. Stewart was the assistant superintendent of the Sunday school. Their many friends wish them a clear and happy sail upon the matrimonial seas. Miss Julia Meredith of Milwaukee, Wis., is a Moline visitor at the Boyd home, the guest of Miss B. Bradley.

FORT MADISON NOTES.

Mrs. Ella Williams of Springfield, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. Eliza Jackson last week. There will be a lawn social Thursday evening, given by the members of the Second Baptist church. The White Rose club met with Mrs. George Mack on Thursday and a program was rendered, after which refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Henry on Spruce street. Owing to the inclement weather the Willing Workers meeting Tuesday evening was postponed until next week Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas. Last Friday night fire destroyed the homes of Mr. Charles Printice and Mr. Harvey Powell on Broadway and Fifth streets. There was no insurance and the families are being cared for by neighbors and friends. Rev. Bowles is in Keokuk this week. Will return Sunday and preach at the Second Baptist church. The pastor and members are doing all they can to complete the parsonage by winter. The White Rose club will render a fine program Friday, the 22d, at the Second Baptist church.

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ROCK ISLAND NEWS.
 Bishop B. F. Lee arrived in our city Sunday evening and preached to a large audience at Wayman's church.
 Miss Hazel Williams of Macon, Mo., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Hoskins.
 The reception given in honor of Rev. Saunders and family was very nice and quite a number attended.
 Mrs. Rachel Palmer cut both hands very bad last week on glass.
 Miss McCamel is spending a few days visiting in Quincy, Ill. and Macon, Mo.
 Little James Hoskins has been sick but reported better at this writing.
 Mr. Henry Stewart has gone on a vacation.
 Dr. and Mrs. Davis have returned from Chicago.
 Rev. Saunders and family have returned from Indianapolis, Ind.

FORT MADISON NOTES.
 (Special to Bystander.)
 Mr. E. Elliot of Ottumwa was a visitor in the city Sunday.
 Mr. Ernest L. Harper of Centerville, S. D., who has been visiting his parents in the city left for St. Louis and other southern points last week.
 Mr. Brown of Duluth is visiting his wife at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Iosm.
 Invitation are out in the city announcing the marriage of Miss Bertha Buckner and Mr. Udell Tomlin, which will be consummated at the home of the bride in New Boston, Wednesday Aug. 20th at six o'clock.
 The homes of Mr. Harvey Powell and Mrs. Charles Prentice were completely destroyed by fire Saturday morning.
 The A. M. E. Sunday School is preparing to have its annual picnic in a few weeks. There will be a chicken supper at the church Tuesday evening.
 Misses Anna and Jennie Harper, Virgie Black and Mr. Raymond Black motored to the picnic which was held in the grove near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Dandridge, on Sunday by the Gospel Light club. They report a fine time.
 Mr. Curtis Herndon of Burlington was in the city Saturday evening.
 Mrs. Maupins of Marceline, Mo., who has been visiting in the city with relatives and friends returned to her home Thursday.
 Miss Ruth Ray of Milan, Mo., is visiting relatives in the city.

DUBUQUE, IOWA.
 Mrs. Bolton of Julian avenue has been very sick, but is some better at this writing.
 Mrs. W. Madison has just returned home from St. Louis, where she was called to see her brother, who was dangerously ill, but is resting some better now.
 The president of the W. M. M. society has returned home from Ottumwa, where she attended the missionary convention. While in the city she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pollins.
 Miss Ida Green and Miss Lavern Martin have returned home from Clinton, Iowa, and say they had a glorious time.
 Mrs. Dongie of West Eleventh street, gave a card party Thursday. Those that were present were Mr. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mr. A. and C. McGreagor, Mrs. Pelky, Mrs. M. Johnson and Mr. Hoskins.
 Mrs. L. Jones of Mississippi is visiting in our city this week and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wells.
 Miss Mary Drapper of Quincy, Ill., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. I. Jones, left Sunday morning for her home, saying her stay in Dubuque was very pleasant.
 Our young people, especially our boys, say they don't like our beautiful city, so they have left for different parts. Harry Jones and Willie Stansbery have gone to Chicago. Harry is working at the Del Platter hotel and Willie Stansbery is visiting relatives.
 Ed Martin, Jr., and Guy Green are both in Clinton, where they both have found work and are doing nicely. We wish the boys all the good luck they can possibly have.
 Mrs. Wells tendered a farewell reception to Mrs. L. Jones and Miss Mary Draper. The evening was spent in music. Miss Lavern Martin presided at the piano.

Remarkable Cure of Dysentery.
 "I was attacked with dysentery about July 15th, and used the doctor's medicine and other remedies with no relief, only getting worse all the time. I was unable to do anything and my weight dropped from 145 to 125 pounds. I suffered for about two months, when I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I used two bottles of it and it gave me permanent relief." writes B. W. Hill of Snow Hill, N. C. For sale by all dealers.

ST. JOSEPH, MO.
 Mrs. K. D. Tillman accompanied her husband, Rev. Tillman, P. E., last week on his regular trips to Carrollton, Richmond, and she delivered lectures to large audiences in both those cities. She left Saturday evening for Des Moines, Iowa. She delivers a lecture there Monday evening. Her little daughter, Dorothy, accompanied her to that city.
 Miss Hawley, one of the teachers at Coffeyville, Kans., who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. S. Askins, will return to her home next week, after a very pleasant visit in our city.
 As previously stated by your correspondent, the annual session of the Masons opened last Monday morning and closed today. As J. L. Thompson, editor of The Bystander, will be here, we are sure he will give you a good report of the session in the next week's issue. So secure a copy of The Bystander.
 Miss Sarah Burke left last Saturday night for Colorado Springs to spend several months.

ARDENT MASONIC WORKER.
 How J. Henry Sherwood is Winning His Spurs on Merit.
 St. Paul, Minn.—J. Henry Sherwood, well known in Masonic circles in this and many other sections of the country, is a native of Macon, Ga., where he received the rudiments of his early education.
 Upon leaving the far south young Sherwood located in St. Louis for about a year and then took up his residence in this city in 1895 and for eleven years has been a clerk in the postoffice. His activities in religious circles have centered in the Protestant Episcopal church. For some time he was lay reader in charge at the St. Phillips mission.
 He was initiated in Triangle lodge No. 53, F. and A. M., West Superior, Wis., jurisdiction of Illinois, 1895. Admitted into Perfect Ashlar lodge No. 4, St. Paul, a year later. Passed the Oriental chair June 24, 1902; served as worshipful master three years and as secretary about ten years. He was elected grand secretary in 1906 and grand master in 1909, serving three terms.

Granulated Sore Eyes Cured.
 "For twenty years I suffered from a bad case of granulated sore eyes, says Martin Boyd, of Henrietta, Ky. In February, 1903, a gentleman asked me to try Chamberlain's Salve. I bought one box and used about two-thirds of it and my eyes have not given me any trouble since." This salve is for sale by all dealers.

ALBIA NEWS.
 Madam Nellie Estes and Minnie Bell, little Dorcia Bell and Marguerite Estes spent Tuesday of this week in Hocking at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grayson.
 A party of Albia young people were in Hiteam on Saturday evening at a party the Hiteam young people gave in honor of some young ladies from Keosauqua who are visiting at the home of Miss Letta Johnson, and Mr. Bennings, visiting at the home of Mr. Luther Brown.
 Sunday missionary meeting at the A. M. E. church. The usual program was rendered.
 The Albia Chautauqua opened at the Chautauqua grounds on July 7th. The speaker of the first day gave much credit to the Negro in civil war and of his present condition in the south.
 The Albia young people entertained the Keosauqua ladies and boys to a party on Tuesday evening.
 Mrs. Lucinda Jones entertained Mrs. M. Bell and Dorcia Bell at lunch Friday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grayson and children were in town Saturday.
 Messrs. Burt Jones and W. G. Davis went to Buxton on Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. Lou Franklin has treated his house to a new coat of paint.

MASON CITY NEWS.
 Mrs. Chas. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Stephenson and Miss Marie Carter left Sunday night for Buxton to attend the Knights of Tabor grand lodge, which meets in Buxton this week.
 John Blue was killed here Monday about 10:30 a. m. by being run over by a local freight train that he was trying to board. Mr. Blue was well known here by all, having lived here for about two years. He was a man about 28 years old, single. No one seems to know of his relatives.
 The home of W. L. Jones was the scene of a beautiful party Monday evening, given in honor of the visiting young ladies in the city. All report a jolly time and add the following, that W. L. has a hand that can't be beat for entertaining young ladies.
 Quite a large bunch of colored people here expect to go to Minneapolis on August 16th on the excursion, which leaves here at 1:52 a. m. Saturday.
 Word was received this week from Mrs. Mandy Brewton, who left last week for Malta Bend, Mo., to attend the M. E. quarterly conference, that she had the honor to be elected president of the district Sunday school board. She will join Mason City delegates to the grand lodge at Buxton on Monday.
 Mr. J. B. Sanders, one of the employees of the Milwaukee railroad, leaves Wednesday for Chicago to remain indefinitely.
 Mrs. Mary Davis of South Warren street is on the sick list this week.
 R. W. M. Ewing and Mrs. D. S. Ewing and Mrs. Susie Cecile spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Thos. Allen of South Willow street.
 Miss Ethel Polk of Des Moines, who has been visiting with the Brewton family of South Madison street left Saturday for her home in Des Moines.
 Help boost The Bystander by paying what you owe without being asked for it.

MOVING PICTURE STORY.
 Achievements of a Hampton Student Portrayed in Didactic Manner.
 Hampton, Va.—"John Henry's Four Years at Hampton" is the title of a most interesting moving picture story of Hampton Institute which has been prepared by Leigh Richmond Minor of the Hampton staff. The first exhibition of the vivid moving pictures was given recently at Hampton Institute.
 John Henry, who lives out in the country, is influenced by a Hampton graduate to come to the well known agricultural and industrial school for Negroes. On reaching Hampton he is shown the modern buildings and is then taken to his dormitory room. There he is given a lesson in bedmaking by his room mate. John Henry, after his work in doing various chores which tasked his stick-to-it-tiveness, enters the cabinetmaking department and in three years becomes a proficient tradesman.
 John Henry also learns enough of several other trades so as to be truly useful to his people back in the country districts. He is put through a short course in manual training, shoemaking, harness repairing, bricklaying and upholstery. He is also taught how to plow and care for the common farm animals—pigs, chickens, horses and cows.
 The Hampton Institute moving pictures give an excellent presentation of the Sunday morning room inspection, battalion drill, anniversary procession, life in the student dining room and every day life at Hampton. John Henry is shown as a pupil teacher at the Whittier school leading the procession of youngsters as they assemble to salute the flag.
 In the final scene, dealing with commencement day, Dr. Friswell presents the transformed and useful youth with a Hampton diploma. John Henry greets his parents, who have made a sacrifice so that he could get an education. The country teacher, one of Hampton's graduates, who influenced John Henry to break his home ties and go to Hampton, witnesses the happy scene.

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 Mr. Sherwood succeeded in reorganizing Fezzan temple in this city in 1908 and was appointed potentate by the deputy and was elected to that position the following year, after which he served two terms as recorder and was elected deputy imperial potentate 1911 at Atlantic City and re-elected at Washington 1912, with the promise ringing in his ears that he would be honored with the imperial potentate-ship at Indianapolis this year.
 He is a member of Bethel chapter, R. A. M., and Pilgrim commandery, Knights Templars, jurisdiction of Missouri. Noble Sherwood has been in many movements in this city during the past ten years that pointed toward the betterment of his people.
 He is intensely proud of the past as well as the present achievements of his race and has great faith in its future. Young, energetic and ambitious, Mr. Sherwood is always working for the interests of Freemasonry, shirredom and the Negro. He is an active worker for the Society for the Advancement of Colored People.

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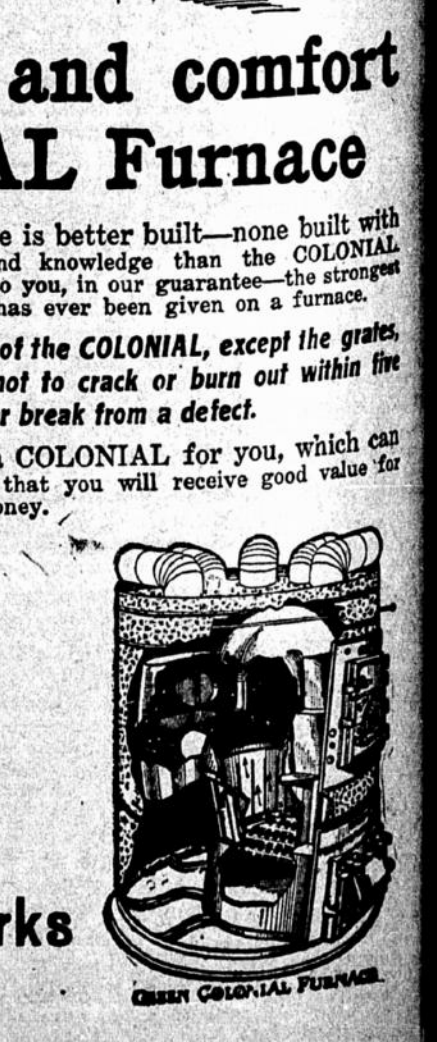
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