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EDITORIALS

COLOR LINES TO BE IGNORED IN ARMY.

Washington, D. C.—That color lines are to be ignored in the assignment of Negro troops in the drafting section of the national army has been revealed in a general order issued from the war department, indicating the department's intention to apportion the Negro troops evenly where possible in all cantonments. The order provides that in every cantonment there shall be one Negro infantry regiment where sufficient personnel is available.

Protests have been made against quartering Negro troops in certain parts of the south, but no modification has been made.

The order is taken as an indication of what the war department will do in disposing of similar regiments in national guard encampments.

WHISKEY GOES OUT OF BUSINESS.

Chicago, Ill.—Victory in a fight which had been waged unceasingly for the past twenty years by the Hearst newspapers became complete last week when the federal law forbidding the manufacture of whiskey and other distilled liquors went into effect.

Accepting the inevitable only after spending fortunes in an effort to avert it, and resorting to every possible trick and subterfuge to postpone the day of reckoning, the whiskey trust capitulated and went out of business an hour before midnight.

By powerful cartoons, forceful editorials and by the mobilizing of thousands of moral leaders and millions of citizens in the campaign, the Hearst

papers carried the fight to congress. Seeing at last the handwriting on the wall, the whiskey manufacturers waged a determined fight for the passage of a law which would forbid the manufacture of beer and light wines. Success would have placed an enormous premium on the 300,000,000 gallons of whiskey in bond by putting the country on a whiskey basis.

The fight to end the destructive rule of whiskey in this country was begun by the Hearst newspapers twenty years ago. From New York to San Francisco all the growing influence of the chain of newspapers was brought to bear against the whiskey traffic.

The whiskey men attempted coercion by withdrawing advertising. They attempted bribery by offering more advertising. They attacked the persistent champion of true temperance in devious ways and determined fashion, and always they failed to check the steady, patient, intelligent hammering against the whiskey traffic.

\$2,000 BEQUEST TO PINEY WOODS SCHOOL.

Principal Laurence C. Jones, who was called back to Mississippi in August by the Mississippi State Department of Education to operate a state normal for colored teachers, has returned to Iowa to finish his annual trip. The normal enrolled nearly five hundred teachers and was the most successful in the history of Negro education in the state.

Piney Woods school is growing rapidly. The Finkbines of our city have recently given the school 800 acres of land, which gives it a total acreage of 1,334 acres.

A Jewish citizen of Dubuque, Iowa, who died a few weeks ago, bequeathed therein his will \$2,000 toward an endowment fund.

Prof. Jones will spend a few weeks in the eastern part of the state and return for the opening of his school about October 15th.

MACON, MISSOURI.

Rev. Samuel Emmyr spent Sunday in Shelby, Mo., where he is pastor of Shelby church.

Miss Edith Harris departed Saturday for Springfield, Ill., where Miss Harris will attend Springfield high school.

Miss Flora Minor departed Wednesday last for St. Louis, Mo., where she will attend school.

Miss Harriet Bradley will depart soon for Sedalia, Mo., where she will attend George R. Smith school.

Miss Hortense Carter has returned from an extended visit in Excelsior Springs, Mo. Miss Carter will attend Western college this year.

Miss Nellie Gorham of College Mound, Mo., is visiting Mrs. J. T. Ansell for a few days.

Miss Leona Davis of Clarence, Mo., spent a few days of last week in our city.

Mrs. H. L. Howard and two daughters have returned from a pleasant trip in Pueblo, Colo.

Mrs. A. McElroy and little daughter of Moberly, Mo., are spending a few days in our city, the guests of Mrs. A. McElroy.

Mrs. James Williams remains very ill as we go to press.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Majors of Pueblo, Colo., are rejoicing over a baby girl. Mrs. H. Majors will be remembered as Miss Ruth Perkins, daughter of Prof. E. W. Perkins of our city.

Rev. and Mrs. St. Mark Jones of our city are rejoicing over a baby girl. Mrs. Martha Ford and little girl of Karso, Mo., were called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. St. Mark Jones.

Fred Williams, Warren Burton and Wilbert McCamell made a trip to Beaver, Mo., on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Crews remains the same as we go to press.

Mrs. Margaret Moore Glistbey of Indianapolis, Ind., will return to her home Sunday, after a visit in Kansas City and Macon, Mo. Mrs. Glistbey will visit in St. Louis, Mo., before returning home.

Miss Dixie Harris was called to the bedside of her niece in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Miss Rosa B. Johnson, one of the efficient teachers of the third preparatory department of Western college, will return Saturday to resume her duties.

Mrs. G. T. Stocks is on the sick list.

Rev. G. W. Cross of Moberly, Mo., spent a few days in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maupin of Columbia, Mo., formerly of Macon, are moving back to our city.

Mr. Samuel Richardson of Armstrong, Mo., spent Saturday night in our city.

Harry Jackson, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Jackson of Milan, Mo., died at the home of his parent, death being caused by tuberculosis, he having contracted it while he was serving in the army on the border at Laredo, Texas. The funeral services were held at the home last Monday. He leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn his death.

Miss Edirna Harris is on the sick list.

Mr. J. White of Pittsburg, Kans., came Wednesday last to attend Western college.

When the agent calls to collect do not keep saying you will pay tomorrow, and tomorrow never comes to pay. Have it ready or be plain and say you haven't got it.

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There's a Difference.

An epigrammatist says a classier education is for conversation and the other kind for use.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

BUSINESS LEAGUE ON FIRM FOOTING

Session Held at Chattanooga Showed Race Loyalty.

PRESIDENT NAPIER SPEAKS

Washington's Successor Pays Glowing Tribute to Tennessee's Chief Executive—Refers With Pride to Professor W. J. Hale's Work as an Educator and Compliments Our Soldiers.

Echoes of the recent convention of the National Negro Business league, held at Chattanooga, are still being heard. These notes of praise and satisfaction come from the public as well as from members of the organization, who are rejoicing over the fact that the league has recovered from the shock sustained by the death of its illustrious founder and president, Dr. Booker T. Washington, and has taken on new life under the Hon. J. C. Napier, whose loyalty to racial interest has endeared him to the members of the league.

The proceedings of the league were taken down by William H. Davis of Washington, who is the official stenographer for the league. Mr. Davis credits President J. C. Napier as having said in his address introducing Governor Tom C. Rye as follows:

"It is indeed a rare privilege and pleasure, as well as an honor, for which we are profoundly grateful, to



PRESIDENT J. C. NAPIER.

have a real live mayor and a real live governor to be present with us in person and not by proxy for the purpose of welcoming the delegates to the eighteenth annual convention of the National Negro Business league on behalf of this progressive city of Chattanooga and the great state of Tennessee. . . . My friends, I know that in Governor Tom C. Rye the Negroes of this state have a friend. [Applause.]

"I have gone to him on more occasions than one to ask of him this favor or that favor, with respect to some member of our race, or with respect to some school or educational institution in which our race was primarily interested, or with respect to some military or other proposition affecting our race, and never has he turned his back upon any proposition or any request looking to the uplift of our people and the protection of their rights before the law. [Heartly applause.]

"Why, my friends, through Governor Rye's efforts we have the best state Negro normal school in Tennessee of any that exists in this entire country for Negroes. [Applause.] And at the head of that institution, through the recommendation of Governor Rye, we have one of the most capable and efficient young men as principal—referring to Professor W. J. Hale—that can be found among the leading educators of this country. . . . Why, my friends, we have in this great state of Tennessee, through the efforts of such men as Governor Rye, a Negro militia or military company, and that no other state in the southland can say.

"There was also a time when Governor Rye, by merely a scratch of his pen, could have put that Negro troop out of existence, but when a delegation called upon him, advocating such action, he declared that so long as he was governor he would never write his name to any order or any legislative enactment abolishing or discharging that splendid body of Negro soldiers. . . . [Heartly applause.]

"I am glad to see that we have here on this platform the mayor of Chattanooga, who represents one of the great political parties, and the governor of our state, who represents another great political party, so you see, my friends, that all the white people of the great state of Tennessee, irrespective of party affiliation, are friends of the Negro [applause] and are willing to lend their presence and do everything else they can to encourage him. [Applause.] It is now my pleasure to introduce to you a man, a stalwart, liberal minded American, whom we believe to be competent and whom we should like to see occupy the highest position in the gift of this nation—his excellency Tom C. Rye, governor of the great state of Tennessee." [Prolonged applause, Chattanooga salute and cheering.]

Good For Biliousness.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks, says J. J. Firestone of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness." For sale by all dealers.

Poison for Rabbits.

Poisoning by means of phosphorized grain is said to be an effective means of checking the increase of rabbits in certain parts of the British colonies.

MOLINE, ILL.

Rev. T. W. Lewis, pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. church, departed Tuesday evening for St. Paul, Minn., where he will attend the annual conference.

We are glad to report that Mr. James Colquit, who has been on the sick list the past week, is greatly improved.

Rev. A. W. Settles of Louisville, Ky., spent a few days with his brother, Mr. Edward Settles. This was a happy meeting for the two brothers, as it had been twenty-seven years since they last met.

Mr. Henry T. W. Flournoy has returned home, after a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. James Simpkins, of Chicago.

Mrs. R. B. Settles is suffering from a sprained ankle, which she received when she fell through a loose plank in her attic.

Mr. William Godwin of Chicago visited Moline friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Carter departed for her home in Gaesburg on Friday, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Bradley.

OSKALOOSA, IOWA.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, son, Frankie, and Mrs. Woodie Thomas spent the day Sunday at the county farm, the guests of Sam Willis, an inmate. They say he is looking fine and is getting along much better than expected.

J. L. Thompson, editor of the Bystander, was calling among his patrons this week.

Frank Thompson, who is a sufferer of stomach trouble and other ailments, seems to be losing strength daily.

Rev. Oscar Smith, pastor of the Second Baptist church, was unable to fill his pulpit here Sunday, being called to Hawkeye to officiate at a funeral service. Rev. M. Keely served here.

Artie Tolson and sister, Miss Alice, were called to Kirksville, Mo., Sunday by the severe illness of their mother.

Mrs. Nellie McDowell, who has been visiting relatives and friends in the city the past two weeks, returned Friday night to her home in Des Moines.

ENTERPRISE, IOWA.

(Special to Bystander.) Mr. G. H. Edmonds was a business guest at Enterprise on Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ousley, Mrs. Hickman and Mrs. Allen. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Battles.

ALBIA NEWS.

The Sewing Circle club met at the home of Mrs. G. A. Davis on Monday afternoon. Also the president of the Colored Women's Federation in Albia had their study reviewed. After all business was attended to the hostess, Mrs. G. A. Davis, served a nice lunch in three courses.

Sunday was Rev. J. W. Dowdner's last services before going to quarterly conference of the A. M. E. church. He has made Albia a good pastor and many of the members will hope for his return.

Mr. Edward Butler will leave Albia for Oklahoma to visit the home of his father, who has been quite sick.

Mr. Walter Bennings and family have returned from their visit in Des Moines.

Mrs. Ida Morris and children from Wisconsin are in Albia visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Harris.

Mr. Carthon and family of Hiteman Sundayed in Albia, attending services at the A. M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grayson and Mrs. Carson of Hoeking No. 3 were in town Sunday.

Quite a number of strange people in our town the past week.

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

To P. E. Everett, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed:

You are hereby notified that at a regular tax sale held in and for Polk county, Iowa, on December 5, A. D. 1911, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots No. 26 and 27 of Richmond's sub-division of a part of lot 6 of the O. P. of lots 4 and 7 or the Thompson estate in section 27, township 79, range 24, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, was sold to L. E. Gray for the payment of the taxes for the year 1910, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the treasurer of said Polk county, Iowa, therefor, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by W. H. Meredith.

That the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to him by the treasurer of said Polk county, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated September 20, 1917.

W. H. Meredith.

By W. L. Baugh, His Agent and Directed by Him.

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"I have a high opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets for biliousness and as a laxative," writes Mrs. C. A. Barnes, Charleston, Ill. "I have never found anything so mild and pleasant to use. My brother has also used these tablets with satisfactory results."

CALENDAR

Of the second quarterly conference of Des Moines district A. M. E. Zion church:

First church, Des Moines, Iowa, Rev. E. S. Hardge, P. C., Oct. 21 and 22.

St. Matthews, Enterprise, Iowa, Rev. R. W. Rowe, P. C., Sept. 29 and 30.

Birks Mission, cement plant, Iowa, Rev. J. W. Hill, P. C., Oct. 6 and 7.

Blackwell Chapel, Scandia, Iowa, Rev. J. W. White, P. C., Oct. 13 and 14.

Oralabor Mission, Oct. 20 and 21.

Buxton Mission, Oct. 23 and 24.

Melix Temple, Perry, Iowa, Rev. John Hillard, P. C., Oct. 27 and 28.

Brethren, our motto is to save souls and build churches. Each of us is expected to raise one-half of our general claims by the setting of the district conference and sent to the departments. Keep the law and the law will keep us. I am praying for a success. I am your brother in the gospel bands.

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MONMOUTH, ILL.

Mr. A. B. Cox of Pueblo, Colo., is visiting here with his brother. The members of the choir of the St. James A. M. E. church gave a surprise for their pastor and wife after rehearsal Friday evening with a "spread."

Mrs. Hattie Pruitt of Galesburg visited Sabbath with Mrs. G. T. Brown. Mr. John Ellis of St. Paul, Minn., visited with his mother, Mrs. Betty Price.

Rev. Eugene Thompson left Tuesday for St. Paul, where he will attend conference.

Mrs. Thompson went to St. Louis to visit relatives before going to the Illinois conference at Alton.

Mr. L. Baker returned from St. Louis on Sabbath, after several days' visit with relatives. His niece, Mrs. Sanders, accompanied him home.

Rev. C. Lindell was in Fort Madison on Friday and Saturday.

CENTERVILLE NEWS.

Mrs. Fannie Roe of Illinois is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Anna Kearney, on West Garfield street.

Mrs. C. I. Jones and Josephine Smith have returned from Minneapolis, after visiting ten days with relatives and friends.

Mr. R. Cunningham of Mystic is visiting Sunday at Bro. J. E. Smith's on N. Tenth street.

Mrs. S. Stewart returned to her home in Oskaloosa, after visiting two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grant and four children returned to their home Monday morning, after spending a week with relatives and friends.

Rev. M. Carrington preached two splendid sermons Sunday. The Sunday school is progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grant and children ate dinner at the home of Mrs. A. Jackson on Eighteenth street.

The choir is rendering some splendid music, after the purchase of a new piano.

Several of the colored boys who thought they were exempted were recalled back to the army.

Mrs. Susie Williams and Mrs. Stella Nash solicited enough money to buy their pastor a nice pair of blue serge trousers, which he appreciates very much.

The B. Y. P. U. is having some splendid topics discussed. Each and every one is invited to attend the meeting.

Little Viola Carrington is able to resume her school work, after being ill a few days.

Anyone having news for the Bystander please give it to the reporter.

FORT DODGE, IOWA.

(Special to Bystander.) The revival now being held at the Second Baptist church is proving a great success. Rev. Louis Biggs, pastor.

A patriotic meeting will be held tonight at the armory hall, under the auspices of the officers of the Baptist church. The best talent of the city will be shown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. E. Peters and Miss Moore of Rockwell City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Waldon and Mr. and Mrs. Coffman on Sunday.

Rev. R. R. Loney of the A. M. E. church preached a very effective farewell sermon Sunday. He leaves for

conference Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffman, prominent colored people of our city, will leave soon for Chicago, where they will make their future home. We deeply regret the departure of these people, as such people help to build up a good community. The best wishes of their many friends will follow them.

Mrs. Rebecca Perkins, mother of Mrs. Fred Coleman, has arrived in our city.

BUXTON, IOWA.

Mr. J. H. Morris is very sick at this writing.

Misses Minnie Mills and Mary Jane Reeves are spending a few weeks in Buxton.

Mr. P. Reeves, who was visiting his son in Oklahoma, has returned and is very sick. His case is hopeless.

Mrs. Grace Hutton of Omaha, Neb., was the guest of Mrs. Lannie Carter for a few days last week.

Brother G. W. Miller, an old resident and class leader of St. John's A. M. E. church, peacefully departed this life last Sunday night, but his death was not known until Monday morning, when his wife called him for work.

There was no sign of a struggle. He lay peacefully at rest, sweet sleep. Funeral services were held Wednesday p. m. at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Buxton cemetery. Their many friends extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved wife in her sad hour.

Buxton friends were sorry to hear of the sad accident that happened to Mr. Jim Smith of Kansas City, Mo., formerly of Buxton. We hope it was not serious. Mrs. Willa Roberts left for Kansas City on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ada Mills has returned from the Iowa City hospital and is improving nicely.

Mr. W. P. Lewis, who has been ill, is able to be out again.

Miss Edyth Jones has gone to Iowa City to school this winter.

Misses Georgia Blackburn, Grace Harris and Susie Roberts were Des Moines visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Ed. Smith, who has been on the sick list, is able to be up again.

Mr. J. W. Neeley and Mr. Cannady, with Misses Agnes Lewis, Rosa Cannady and Elizabeth Neeley, motored to the Des Moines state fair.

Miss Ruth Southall left Wednesday evening for North Carolina, where she expects to teach school this winter.

Mr. Fields and Mr. Hubert London were in the city for a few days.

Mrs. P. A. Reeves entertained in honor of the students going to school.

Mr. E. T. Mills, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is in Des Moines on business.

GALESBURG, ILL.

Mrs. G. Gregsby entertained at a three-course dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. S. Hawkins of Davenport. After dinner auto riding was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Saunders of Palmyra, Mo., and daughter are making their home on West First street.

Sunday being the last day at the A. M. E. church for Rev. Garrison, fine services were held morning and evening. Rev. Garrison was successful in raising all conference claims. Young as well as elder persons are to be commended for their hearty response. Members are very grateful over the amount raised and accounted for, which was \$2,480. The dollar money amounted to \$115.

We all hope Rev. Garrison may return, as he has been a faithful minister during his stay in the city. Every

one is wishing him back to stay the next five years.

Rev. and Mrs. Garrison will leave for conference Tuesday morning, September 18th.

The Thimble Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. Botts on Friday, September 21.

Mrs. B. Berry, formerly of Galesburg, now of St. David, is visiting relatives and friends.

M. L. Dunbar will give a party at the home of Miss L. Mitchell on Wednesday, September 19th.

Mr. B. Jackson is much improved at this writing and is out of danger.

Mr. J. Wilder is able to be around again.

Mrs. Smalley, M. Smalley and V. Leonard are on the sick list.

The G. A. R. will give an entertainment at the home of Mrs. Crawford on Thursday, September 20th.

The Garrison club presented Rev. Garrison with \$25, M. L. D. class a hat, and the Progressive club a pair of silk socks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jenkins, Mrs. M. Hardin and Mr. J. Berry motored to Peoria on Sunday, the guest of Miss L. Pitman.

Mrs. George Fletcher has returned from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Chicago and Peru.

The entertainment given by Mr. S. Fletcher was a grand success. Rev. Garrison presented the one with a cut glass water set selling the most tickets.

Miss B. Anderson received the water set. Mrs. L. South of Monmouth received \$5.00 for second prize. Those selling tickets for the premium were: A. Fletcher, \$3.75; F. Berry, \$4.75; V. Brown, \$2.60; L. South, \$18.60; B. Anderson, \$25.05.

Mrs. M. R. Drury returned home Monday from Detroit. She reports a grand time.

Mr. L. Fletcher returned home from Peoria on Monday, after attending the wedding of Miss A. Watkins. Mr. Fletcher acted as best man.

E. Hubbard, Ruby Groff and L. South of Monmouth motored up to the concert Monday evening.

The A. L. C. was entertained at the home of Mrs. G. Fletcher on Thursday, September 20th.

MARSHALLTOWN ITEMS.

Mrs. Luella Upchurch of Jamestown, Pa., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Morrow, returned home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris have returned from a visit to Des Moines, Iowa. They report a delightful trip.

Mr. Edward Roberson is steadily improving, and it seems as if he will soon be able to resume his work.

Miss Ira Simmons of Chicago is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, her brother and sister.

Miss Gladys Crowder of Des Moines was the guest of Mrs. Edna Flippings on Sunday, September 16.

Good news and glad tidings come from the Iowa hospital to the effect that the two children of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilmore are getting along nicely.

Dr. B. F. Abner has returned from a two weeks' vacation granted him by the church. During this time he was present at the National Baptist Convention at Muskogee, Okla., to which he was a delegate. Dr. Abner states that this was the greatest session since the organization of the institution, and more money was raised for foreign missions and education by these two boards than ever. The next session, he states, will be held at New-

ark, New Jersey, September, 1918.

ROCK ISLAND NEWS.

Mrs. M. Pearson was called to Muscatine, Iowa, Tuesday morning on account of her father's death. Mr. Seay passed away Tuesday morning and his funeral was held Thursday afternoon.

Mr. George Pearson, Freda and Virgie Pearson and Esther Bains, all relatives, and Mrs. Eliza Walkup left for Muscatine, Iowa, Thursday morning to attend the funeral.

Mr. Kipper, who has been sick, is up and around again.

Mr. George Payne, who has been on the sick list for three or four days, has gone back to work.

Mr. McGinnis received a photo from Kansas City, Mo., of his niece, Miss J. L. Ford, in her uniform. She is studying for a trained nurse.

Mrs. M. Saunders called on Mrs. M. Pearson on Thursday afternoon and also called on Mrs. L. Payne.

Miss L. Coleman is not going to take up her studies at high school again.

A number from here went to Davenport to the Columbia theater to see "Plantation Days." All were colored stars.

Mrs. A. Jackson and daughter are thinking of making Chicago their home.

The young folks' club of the A. M. E. church gave a concert and supper Friday evening, which was just fine, and they cleared about \$8, which they were proud of.

Rev. Boyd will be leaving soon for conference, which meets in St. Paul.

Rev. Saunders, wife and children are going to make Des Moines their home this winter.

Rev. Saunders will find it lonesome for a while with his wife and six children gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoner of Bloomington, Ill., who were the house guests of Mr. W. Stoner, left Monday for their home.

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preached an excellent sermon Sunday evening at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Farnsworth have gone to housekeeping on Tenth street.

Mrs. M. Pearson returned home Saturday evening from Muscatine, Iowa. She was accompanied home by her brother.

Mr. Leo Golden, who used to live here, but lives in Moline now, spent all day Monday in his home town.

Mrs. E. Pennington is sick and is in

a very serious condition.

Mrs. Adams and her sister, Mrs. Young, have returned home, after several weeks' absence from the city.

Mr. C. O'Neil, who broke his arm, is getting strong just fine.

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