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## Marshall Miller

FOR

## COUNCILMAN

Your Vote Will Be Appreciated.

**SEGREGATION.**  
Tell me why is the segregation law  
Between two races who make our coun-  
try?

Every white man helps make the law;  
Every black man is filled with awe.  
For more than one reason I say that,  
Discrimination in schools is a positive  
fact.

When you want to take a part in the  
socials of school  
You ask a soft little "no," is the an-  
swer so cool.

When the day has been long and dreary  
You take in a show to feel a bit cherry  
You're ushered to the very last floor, the  
very last seat.

This terrible problem it must be beat  
Though the problem is discouraging we  
cannot stop.  
Keep on striving and we'll get to the  
top.  
We'll have all these things for our own  
enjoyment.

And have the white man to fill our em-  
ployments.  
—Katherine B. Jackson, 15 years old,  
student at West High.

**To The Public:**  
We have successfully weathered a  
very hard winter, and are now in a  
position to expand. The lease has been  
signed for our new location in the \$35-  
000,000 building to be erected on the  
S. W. corner of 12 and Center streets,  
for Messrs. Shelton and Blagburn in  
connection with our grocery department  
at 1204 Center street. There will be a  
delectable also a meat market adjoin-  
ing at 1203 Center street. The market  
will be under the management of Toun-  
saint Howard who was manager of the  
sales and shipping department of the  
S. and K. markets for six years. Thus  
we will be able to serve our patrons at  
the lowest possible costs for all the staple  
articles of food. There will be  
prompt and regular delivery service to  
all parts of the city daily.

Stock in the investment company can  
be purchased at 10.00 per share until  
we are ready to occupy our new quarters  
on or about June 10 after which time  
the stock values will be increased. Pros-  
pective purchasers will do well to get  
in touch with the secretary and make  
the necessary reservations as the number  
of shares remaining are limited.  
You can buy on the installment plan.  
See our secretary at our store, 1106  
Center street or any member of the  
board of directors for full particulars.  
All stockholders are urged to help pro-  
tect their own money by dealing wholly  
or partly with their own enterprise.—  
Harry E. Wilson, president; James G.  
Browne, secretary.

**CLINTON ITEMS.**  
Mrs. J. L. Edwards of Des Moines  
left Clinton last week after holding a  
series of evangelistic meetings at Bethel  
A. M. E. church. The meetings were  
interesting and apparently productive  
of much good.

The Iowa Social club met Monday  
night at the home of Mr. Joe Robinson  
on Maple avenue. After the business  
session the members repaired to the  
home of Mrs. Frances Culberson on  
North 3 street where the twentieth cen-

tury club was in session. Joining with  
them in the social hour. Candy making  
by the ladies was the diversion of the  
evening.

Quarterly meeting was held Sunday  
at Bethel A. M. E. church. At 3 o'clock  
the sacramental sermon was given by  
Rev. Geo. R. Cady, pastor of the Con-  
gregational church, who as usual gave  
an excellent discourse.

Mrs. Hazel Boswell of Muscatine was  
the guest of her brother J. B. Easley, a  
few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Culberson will have  
as guests the members of the Iowa  
social and twentieth century clubs on  
Friday evening April 9, in honor of  
their wedding anniversary. A pleas-  
ant time is looked forward to.

A supper and program will be given  
at Bethel A. M. E. church Monday  
evening, March 29 under the auspices  
of the twentieth century band.

The boys attending at Iowa City are  
expected home this week for the Easter  
vacation.

Easter according to plans will be  
observed in an appropriate manner at  
Bethel A. M. E. church. The Sunday  
school will render a program at 8  
o'clock.

Rev. J. B. Easley who is doing evan-  
gelistic work, is taking a much needed  
rest in Clinton.

**MOBERLY ITEMS.**  
Spring has come and every one seems  
to feel proud of it.

Mrs. Armanda Tymony who has been  
ill for several months is convalescing at  
this date.

The Methodist Episcopal church had  
their centenary rally Sunday. The Rev.  
Dr. Wright of St. Louis preached the  
sermon and a large congregation attend-  
ed. A neat sum was raised.

The Rev. J. H. Downey was out of  
the city Sunday.

The Sewing Circle of the 5th street  
Baptist church gave a Leap Year social  
last Friday night at the Masonic hall.  
Quite a crowd attended and all of the  
ladies showed themselves at this Leap  
Year social.

Mrs. Fannie Roberson was much bet-  
ter at this writing.

Last Tuesday night there was a wo-  
man's republican club organized at the  
Pilgrim Rest Baptist church by the  
citizens. Every woman is urged to join.  
The member of the M. E. church are  
planning to build a new \$15,000 church  
in the near future and they are making  
great progress.

**DAVENPORT ITEMS.**  
Third Baptist church on 13 street  
between Main and Harrison.

Sunday was a big day of feasting  
Rev. P. K. Nicholson D. D. preached  
two wonderful sermons, both morning  
and evening. Dr. Nicholson has just  
returned from Chicago, Illinois where  
he attended the Interchurch World  
movement and was elected on the board  
of promotion. He brought back some  
good thoughts by which the Third Baptist  
church of Davenport will move  
onward and upward.

Our pastor also reports a glorious  
session of the board meeting at Clarinda  
Iowa at which time the Iowa association  
held its second quarterly board meeting  
of which Dr. Nicholson is a member.

The Mr. Hood of the Third Baptist  
church is in its splendor. The men are  
very much alive and attentive. The

## Cast Your Vote for JOHN W. BUDD For City Councilman

SHALL WE MAKE DES MOINES  
A CITY.

I am willing and proud to accept  
responsibility and as much credit as  
citizens of Des Moines feel is due me  
for the public improvement program  
during my term as councilman. I feel  
sure that any fair minded person who  
will take the time to investigate the  
work done in Des Moines, and to com-  
pare it with any other city in the  
county, will come to the conclusion that  
a very creditable showing has been made  
by this city.

I believe in the future of Des Moines,  
and while it is not always possible to  
anticipate even the immediate needs

of a city, I have put my very best efforts  
into my work with the sole purpose of  
serving the best interests of this com-  
munity.

I am willing to accept the decision  
of the voters at the coming election as  
to the kind of service I have rendered.  
This much I believe I have a right to  
ask, and even to insist that it be done.  
No man should go to the polls without  
putting forth an honest effort to inform  
himself as to the issues involved and  
the records of the men who are asking  
his vote.

I therefore ask only that you learn  
the facts of the case and vote your hon-  
est judgement.

JOHN W. BUDD,  
Candidate for re-election as councilman.



Rev. R. P. Tyler

**C. M. E. CHURCH.**  
R. P. Tyler, presiding elder of Mis-  
souri district will organize the colored  
Methodist Episcopal church in the city,  
Sunday, March 28.

Question: Where do they worship?  
Answer: In the Congregational church,  
northwest corner of Tenth and Park  
streets.

**LOOK FOR THE SIGN.**

Were you ever a member of this  
church? If so why not come and wor-  
ship with us now? We ask all members  
and friends of the C. M. E. church to  
meet with us each Sabbath as we have  
a message from God to you.—E. P. Tyler,  
presiding elder.

## Attention Negro Voters!

For The  
Welfare of Des Moines  
Vote

FOR MAYOR

John Gibson

FOR COUNCILMEN

John W. Budd

E. A. Elliott

Harry B. Frase

Marshall Miller

ENDORSED BY THE

Pan Des Moines Club  
East Des Moines Boosters' Club  
Citizens' Rights League

topics are great, the men's quartet ren-  
ders good music each Monday night and  
is gaining reputations as good singers  
of Davenport.

March 28, 3 p. m. will be father's and  
son's service day. A special program  
will be rendered on the Race question—as  
was said in the motion made before the  
colored voters of Indiana assembled in  
Indianapolis by Atty. Tidrington, Grand  
Chancellor of the Knights of Phthias,  
and seconded by Assistant Prosecuting  
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time primarily because he has the cour-  
age to champion the rights of truly  
13000 American citizens, the American  
Negro."

**WOOD "LOGICAL" CANDIDATE  
FOR COLORED AMERICANS.**  
(By Edgar G. Brown.)

Indianapolis, Indiana, March 23.—  
Among the rank and file of people the  
question is being asked: "How can  
we support anyone but Leonard Wood?"  
He is right on the Race question—as  
was said in the motion made before the  
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Mr. Tidrington headed the delegation  
from Indiana to the Lincoln League and  
was one of those present who had had  
a chance to compare Governor Lowden  
and General Wood. It is significant  
that Mr. Tidrington pointed out that  
what we need today is a military man  
to stamp out mob violence and lynching  
and a man whose words are respected  
like Theodore Roosevelt and the good  
General's own words at Gary and Oma-  
ha when he said, "The rights of all  
must be protected."

And now following the rejection of  
Governor Lowden by the colored Repub-  
licans of Missouri assembled in St. Louis  
because of his attitude toward the East  
St. Louis riot and his misleading state-  
ments at the Chicago riot, the colored  
Republicans in Ohio have taken up  
arms against Senator Harding under  
the fearless leadership of Honorable  
Ralph Tyler because he refused to  
recognize 150,000 colored voters by re-  
fusing them a delegate to the Chi-  
cago Convention and Senator Harding  
returned last week from Texas where  
he went on the invitation of the "illy  
whites." General Wood true to his re-  
cord left a place for a colored delegate.  
Here is General Wood's statement, "I  
know no American by his color."

"A vote for Wood means a vote for  
the race," was adopted for the Indiana  
slogan at the primaries.

**MOBERLY ITEMS.**  
(By Katie Black.)

We are having beautiful weather here  
now. And people are beginning to  
plant their gardens.

Miss Nellie Roberson is here from De-  
troit, Mich., at the bedside of her moth-  
er, Mrs. Roberson, who has been very  
ill for the past month.

Miss Corene Johnson left last week  
for her home in Des Moines after a  
pleasant visit with her parents and  
friend.

Mrs. Amanda Tymony is some better  
at this writing. We hope she will  
continue to grow better.

Mr. William of Clarence, Mo., who  
has been a patient at the home of Dr.  
J. S. Paly, was able to go home Tuesday.  
Dr. J. S. Paly has restored his health to  
its normal condition.

Mrs. Daisy Wells was hostess to a two-  
course dinner last week in honor of Miss

## To the Citizens of Des Moines



I thank you for your vote  
at the recent Primaries.  
Your effort and vote will  
be appreciated on election  
Day, March 29. Register  
March 29 or you can't vote

Harry B. Frase



Home of Dr. H. Franklin Bray, Chicago, Ill.

**ST. PAUL REVIVAL CLOSES  
SUNDAY AMID A BLAZE OF  
GLORY.**

The revival meeting being conducted  
at St. Paul A. M. E. church by Dr. H.  
Franklin Bray "The Rocky Mountain  
Evangelist" and which has resulted  
in a large ingathering for the church  
will be brought to a close Sunday night.  
Dr. Bray will leave Monday for St. Paul,  
Minnesota on business and from there  
to Chicago for a few days rest before  
beginning his long campaign in the  
west. Every sermon preached by the  
evangelist has borne fruit and been  
very helpful to all who have heard.

In addition to serving the world as  
an untiring evangelist Dr. Bray main-  
tains a great rescue home in Chicago  
where the gospel is preached every night  
and where the poor misguided and pov-  
erty stricken men and boys of that large  
city can secure food and shelter and  
clothing free of charge.

Among the most substantial homes  
of that city is the home of this man of

God at 446 Bowen avenue, in a very  
exclusive residence district. When ask-  
ed about his comforts and success Dr.  
Bray modestly says, "I live in the  
home God gave me and have only in it  
the things he has given me to place  
there. Everything in and around it  
will tell you that it is the house of God.  
"At the head of that palatial home is  
Dr. Bray's mother, a precious Godly  
saint, who is known throughout the  
city as "Mother Bray."

Accompanying Dr. Bray and conduct-  
ing the singing in his campaign here  
is his brother Orle U. Bray who has  
given splendid service and made many  
friends. The pastors and people of the  
in general say good bye to them with a  
deal of reluctance and wish for them  
the fullest success in the work of the  
Master. The evangelist will preach at  
three services Sunday and it is expected  
that the great temple will be crowded  
all day, and that an offering in keeping  
with the splendid life and service of  
this good man will be made by every-  
body.

Corene Johnson of Des Moines, Iowa,  
and Miss Nellie Roberson of Detroit,  
Mich. All present had a delightful  
time.

The Patriotic league will celebrate the  
emancipation day here Aug. 4. They  
have begun to plan for it already.

L. A. society held their annual sup-  
per Monday night in the Masonic hall  
and netted a neat sum for which the  
president feels proud.

The M. E. church is getting ready for  
the annual conference which will con-  
vene in St. Louis, April 7.

There will be a centenary rally at the  
M. E. church Sunday, March 21.

**YANKTON, S. D. ITEMS.**  
Second Baptist church of Yankton  
S. D., Rev. F. H. Hereford pastor. This  
church is growing fast under this great  
leader. This church was blessed to have  
with them last week, Rev. S. V. Torrey  
of St. Louis, Mo. Rev. Terry is a power  
in the pulpit. He has such sweetness  
in his voice that it appeals to the  
Christian nature. He left the city Mon-  
day for Omaha, Nebraska where he will  
carry on a meeting there.

Prayer meeting Sunday morning until  
eleven o'clock. Preaching at eleven.  
Sunday school 2 p. m. B. Y. P. U. will  
begin in a few days.

Mrs. Lolla Hayes is planning to make  
a trip to Des Moines soon in the inter-  
est of her missionary work.

## E. A. ELLIOTT FOR City Councilman Second Term

He has ability and experience, and is qualified to give the  
City an Efficient and business administration. He is making the  
race on his record and will appreciate your vote, March 29th.  
Don't fail to register March 27th or you can't vote.

# THE BYSTANDER

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### THE RACE INFERIOR.

Our souls are white, our faces black yet we must tread the beaten track of what the other races term, the race inferior.

Yet why are we so called, I cannot see. Did that same God who did create man, in His own image designate the negro race inferior.

The preamble to the Constitution reads: All men are created free and equal and have certain inalienable rights. Therefore what rights we do possess must be considered alien.

There are those who started out to solve the "Negro problem," some of these segregate. Others say amalgamate. Still others say to colonize the race. We who from colony and place were forced to serve as bondmen for the other race.

And will our deeds of valor be forgotten. We who for democracy have fought and helped to win, or will we still remain in dire plight. As Aliens to the cause of just and right.—Mrs. Lewis 1316 N. 4th street West, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

### MARSHALL MILLER

Marshall Miller election to the city Council is looked for by all who are interested in good City Government, as he is recognized as a man thoroughly competent to fill the office as a representative of all the people, and will administer the duties of his office as he believes will be of benefit to the majority of the people, and not to any special interest. He has many times in the past demonstrated his executive ability and has the nerve and a will to do what he believes to be right at all times. He has repeatedly refused to tie with any Slate or ticket. He believes that the taxpayers should have value received for every dollar expended, and economy in the strictest sense, but not to the detriment of the demands of a growing city such as Des Moines.

### MT. PLEASANT ITEMS.

Mrs. Jeannette Wells who has been sick is better. Mrs. L. C. Tracy of Mason City, Iowa is visiting relatives in the city. Mrs. James Wicks who has been spending winter with her daughter in St. Joe Missouri returned home last Saturday. She was accompanied home by her grand daughter, Mrs. Lola Stone Black of Ft. Madison, Ia. We are sorry to see Mrs. M. McNeal's sight failing on account of cataracts growing over both of them. The ladies of the A. M. E. church have put a piano in the church.

### MYSTIC ITEMS.

Rev. Sam Johnson of Des Moines, preached at the First Baptist church last Sunday evening. He preached a splendid sermon, but owing to much sickness, the congregation was small, however, those that were out received a gospel feast. Mr. Roe Cunningham who has been working in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Mrs. Cunningham who has been at the bedside of her mother in Liberty, Missouri, both returned Sunday. Mrs. Cunningham received the sad news a few days later, that her mother had taken worse, so she has gone back to Liberty. Mrs. Maude Miller who underwent an operation in the Graham hospital of Centerville, is able to return home and is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Best who have been down with a severe attack of the flu are up and were out to services Sunday. Mr. Dee Massingale who has been real sick is gradually improving. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglas have moved into their new home, which they have purchased in the north part of town. Mrs. Emma Tibbs has been feeling very poorly, but at this writing she is reported to be feeling some better. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hughes were in Centerville, last Friday evening. Mrs. Cora Willis is quite ill at this writing. Mrs. Anderson, the Pentecost preacher has returned from an extended visit

in different part of the state.

### CANTON ITEMS.

Mrs. Martha Brown departed this life February 29, 1920 at the home of her son at Canton, Missouri. She was born in Kentucky in the year 1809 at the time of her death, she was 111 years old. She was the mother of five children, Mrs. Mattie Russ, grand daughter, Mrs. Iona Clark great grand daughter, Baby Clark, great-grand-son, of Keokuk, Iowa.

### WASHINGTON, IOWA ITEMS.

Rev. W. Norris has charge of the A. M. E. church this conference year. He and his good wife are nicely located at the parsonage. Washington is very fortunate to have such an able man. The young people are preparing to give a concert in the near future under the direction of J. W. Norris. The trustees of the A. M. E. church are preparing to remodel the church soon. The Sunday school is being largely attended.

The Mite Missionary met with Mrs. Mattie Norris last Tuesday afternoon. Presiding Elder Stovall held quarterly meeting last Wednesday evening. The Athenian Literary society held its last meeting at the church last Tuesday. A splendid program was rendered. An essay contest was given. Subject, Abraham Lincoln, an Emancipator. Contestants, Elizabeth Redd, Raythre Turner. A prize was given Elizabeth Redd for being the winner.

Mrs. Mary Burnett has been confined to her bed for six weeks and is slowly improving. Ruth Murray left Monday night for Kansas City to live with her mother.

### WATERLOO ITEMS.

Splendid services were held at both churches Sunday. A shower was given by the members of the Baptist church in honor of the Rev. W. W. Ewing and family Monday evening.

Miss Marguerite Boyd entertained the Junior high auditorium by rendering several pieces of music last Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

The new pews have been installed in the A. M. E. church. The value is estimated at \$1,000.

Sunday being Palm Sunday, we are planning (A. M. E.) a great day in the Lord. We shall have palms as is our custom and commemorate by their use and significance the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem.

The young colored band is preparing to render a splendid musical program Thursday evening at the Masonic hall. Mrs. Susie Hoosman left Saturday on business for her home in duart, Miss. She was to have gone before this but was delayed on account of inconveniences (over which she had no control).

Miss Goins of St. Paul is visiting in our city in the home of Mrs. W. B. Arch. We are glad to report that Mrs. Christiana Robinson is able to be up and about again.

Miss Lee Russell Crockett has been confined to her bed but is able to be up at this writing.

Mrs. Mary Bugg is still ailing of which we are sorry to write.

The Ladies' Mite Missionary society gave a fair Monday evening at the Masonic hall. They had a very miscellaneous booth. Everything from good things to eat to a neatly trimmed handkerchief.

The chief feature of the evening was the splendid chicken supper which the ladies served. While the friends were enjoying themselves by eating, musical numbers were rendered by Miss Marguerite Boyd,

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The most exciting part of the evening was when Mr. Cheatham very cleverly auctioned off the things left on the booth. A very pleasant evening was spent and everyone seemed to have thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Dr. D. Herben closed his series of meetings last Wednesday evening. Many additions were made in the Baptist church and Dr. Herben will remain in the memory of the people for many years.

Mr. Johnson's home on Dane street and Mr. Chilress' home on Beach street have been released from the quarantine of Small Pox.

Rev. Ewing will be installed Sunday as a pastor of Antioch. A great day is being looked forward to.

The revival at Antioch Baptist church closed last Wednesday. It was a success spiritually as well as financially. Fifty were added to the church, twenty one out of those were for baptism.

A total of \$303.68 was raised during the meeting.

Rev. Herben who assisted Rev. Ewing in the revival was given a reception at the close of the meeting, by Mr. and Mrs. A. Booth on Mobile street after which Dr. Herben left for Virginia.

The attendance at Sunday school was good.

Sunday, March 28 the pastor Rev. W. W. Ewing will be installed. Rev. G. W. Robinson D. D. of Corinthian Baptist church, Des Moines will preach the installation sermon. Rev. J. H. Reynolds of Clarinda, Iowa will preach at the morning services.

Many out-of-town guests are expected. Since the close of the revival the church is now turning thoughts toward preparations for the Sunday school convention which will convene at the church in June.

Nearly forty members of the church surprised the pastor and family, Monday night at their home in the parsonage. An enjoyable time was had. The guests departing leaving a well filled pantry and wishing Rev. Ewing and family much success.

**SANTAL MIDY** CAPSULES MIDY **CATARRH OF THE BLADDER** relieved in 24 HOURS



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**ORIGINAL NOTICE.**  
In the District Court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, May term, A. D., 1920.  
Nannie Whisiker, Plaintiff.  
vs.  
To Sam Whisiker, Defendant.  
You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is filed in the office of the clerk of the District court of the State

# John Gibson For Mayor

Values every day here, but not every day values.—highest class goods at extra value prices. We guarantee your satisfaction or money readily refunded.



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of Iowa, in and for Polk county, Iowa, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment. and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the May term of said court, which will commence at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, on the 3rd day of May, 1920, default will be entered against you and judgement and decree rendered thereon. Dated this 25th day of February, 1920. GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Attorney for Plaintiff.

## Des Moines Needs HIM

PUT

# JENNEY

On the Council

Election Monday, March 29

# FRANK JEFFRIES

FORMER CITY CLERK

CANDIDATE FOR

# COUNCILMAN

City Clerk under Mayor Hanna, Mayor MacVicar and Mayor Fairweather.

Election Monday, March 29th. Register Saturday, March 27th or you can't vote.

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No wonder Mrs. Jackson is anxious to have the whole world know what Dr. Kline's Epileptic Remedy did for her. Doctors tried and failed to help her. Fifteen convulsions in three hours is a terrific experience. But Mrs. Jackson is well now. Read how it all happened:

Dr. R. H. Kline Co., 301 White St., Red Bank, N. J. Gentlemen: About six years ago I was taken with convulsions. I had fifteen convulsions in about three hours. I had two doctors with me and they worked for some time. Then I was sent to the hospital and there I laid for three weeks before I knew where I was. I was in the hospital for four weeks. Then my husband took me home. Every year after that I would have several attacks of convulsions. A little over two years ago when I had four very hard convulsions, at one time, a lady friend told me of Dr. Kline's Epileptic Remedy. I was anxious to try anything as I was troubled so severely. I got one bottle and took it and it made me feel a little better, so my husband and I continued it, which I did, and at the present time I never felt better in my life. If this letter will help anybody that has that kind of trouble, I hope they will take your Epileptic Remedy, as I believe it will cure them as it has cured me. Yours very truly, (Signed) Mrs. W. G. Jackson

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CITY NEWS

By Ada F. Hyde

NOTICE

The community concert recently given under the direction of Miss Ethel Bower...

PERSONAL

Mrs. Baker Dixon returned home last week from Texas where she has been spending the winter with her husband...

CLUBS

Mrs. Colleen Jones was hostess to the members of the Mary church Terrell club Monday evening at her home 700 Grandview street...

The D. Y. W. K. Art club met Tuesday afternoon March 23 with Mrs. Garth 3111 Amberst avenue...

The homemakers League will meet Tuesday March 30 at the usual hour at the protection home...

The Mary B. Talbert club will meet Tuesday night April 6 with Mrs. Gus Nichols on 17 and Pleasant...

The N. C. N. D. art club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. N. Hyde, 821-13 street...

The Marchal Neal art club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Effie Brown...

The Phyllis Wheatly art club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Katie White 1037-4 street...

THANKS WORKERS

Mrs. S. Joe Brown who served as a captain in the recent Y. W. C. A. drive takes this method of expressing her personal appreciation to the following women...

HOMECOMING

The Union Congregational church will have a home-coming Sunday morning in preparation for the coming of Rev. A. L. Liles of Washington, D. C. who will preach at the church Easter Sunday morning and night...

Dr. Edward Roberson, magnetic healer of Marshalltown was in our city on business this week...

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hayes of 1349 Fremont street announce the engagement of their niece Dortha May Quill to Mr. W. L. Gross of this city...

During their stay in the city, Rev. Dr. H. Franklin Bray and his brother Mr. Orie U. Bray have been extensively entertained by the members and friends of St. Paul...

AMERICAN LEGION MEETS

Lincoln Post, American Legion met Wednesday night in the basement of Union Congregational church...

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Burris of 777 West 10 street Tuesday March 16, an eight and one-half pound baby boy...

NOTICE

All ladies who are to take part in the style show, please meet at the church Monday evening at 7:30.

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The sick are improving. Easter Sunday morning breakfast by rally captains, Johnnie Shaw and Adah Hyde...

Our church held one of the most spiritual services last Sunday that has had for some time. The pastor spoke on the subject "What Manner of man is this..."

The Sunday school was at its best every class made a great showing. Interest ran high and the lesson was well presented...

The Young People's society is a gem. They had a great day Sunday evening. Every section was on the job...

At the evening hour the pastor delivered a strong sermon using the subject, "Bring your son to me..."

On Tuesday night the crowning feature of the season was held at the church when the spring banquet given by Mrs. Mary M. Scott was held...

The vice president, Mrs. Morrow will have the Mother's meeting in her home during the month of April and the president Mrs. Whitfield Reynolds earnestly prays that all mothers will give the vice president their support during her absence...

The meeting Sunday evening at 5 o'clock promises to be very interesting. In connection with the great Passion Play to be given at Corinthian April 1 the following program will be rendered between the scenes...

Mrs. Whitfield Reynolds leaves Saturday for a two weeks visit with her children in Omaha, from there she will go to Sioux Falls S. D. for a two weeks visit with her sons Frank and Herbet Whitfield...

The services were well-attended last Sunday evening and much interest was manifested in the sermon delivered by the pastor...

Our Sunday school is getting ready for Easter. Rev. Moses of the A. M. E. Zion was some very encouraging words to the church and bade him God's speed...

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There are three things in my judgment the editor needs to be commended for, first for its regularity, second for its broad publication of news, third the attention given to the news that come in its possession...

One thing I have noticed about the Bystander under the former management and the latter is that they published just what you would send them to publish. So let us subscribe and pay for the Bystander and help make it our home journey it is worth its place in anybody's home...

The lesson for March 28 is a review of the life work of Peter and John. Selection for reading, Rev. 21:21-22:5. Golden text, Go ye therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them...



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in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I command you. Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Matt. 28:19-21.

Sunday, April the fourth is Easter Sunday and it is desired that all those expecting to take part in the Easter program will give their names to the program committee the 28 so that the program may go to the printers by Tuesday...

Boys and girls get into the big chorus.

ORIGINAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, May term, A. D., 1920. Hattie Campbell, Plaintiff.

To Willis Campbell, Defendant.

You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is filed in the office of the clerk of the District court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, Iowa, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

For further particulars see petition, and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the May term of said court, which will commence at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, on the 3rd day of May, 1920, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1920. GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Attorney for Plaintiff.

tered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon. Dated this 1st day of March, 1920. GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Of The Bystander published weekly at Des Moines, Iowa, for April 1, 1920. State of Iowa, county of Polk, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Emerald Mash, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that she is the managing editor of The Bystander, and that the following is, to the best of her knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, and business managers are:

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### IOWA NEWS

#### IOWA CITY, IOWA. DELTA SIGMA THETA.

A Grecian party was given by the Delta chapter of the Delta Sigma Theta on last Friday evening, March 12 in honor of the pledges. Misses Naomi Harper, Mildred I. Griffin and Hazelle Shaw. The Greeks were dressed in Grecian robes and the pledges were dressed to conform with the sorority colors. The house was beautifully decorated in crimson and cream. A Grecian lunch was served, which consisted of the nectar of Mount Olympus and Ambrosia of the Greek Gods. All present enjoyed a delightful evening.

Before being admitted to participate in the mysterious rites which precede the entrance into the excluded circle of the Greeks, the pledges were subjected to a rigorous examination. They astounded even the Greeks with their knowledge. Each initiate passed the test with a grade of 100 per cent.

At midnight Saturday, March 13 the pledges were led on their journey from the land of barbarism to the high and cultured Greeks. The journey lasted from 12 o'clock until 4 a. m. They were all successful and admitted into the ties of the most wonderful Greek organization, the Delta Sigma Theta. After the initiation ceremony the new sisters were escorted to the dining room by the older sisters and all partook of a lovely prepared lunch.

Sunday school was held last Sunday evening. A large number were present and a very interesting spirit was manifested by the students. A committee was appointed to arrange for an Easter program.

Dr. W. H. Beshears of Cedar Rapids was a visitor at the home last Friday.

The Misses Naomi Harper and Wilma Reed are planning to spend their vacation in Chicago.

The Misses Mamie Diggs, Golda Crutcher and Mildred I. Griffin will leave Thursday, March 25 to spend their vacation in Des Moines.

Miss Imogene Wilson will leave at the same date to spend a few days in Keokuk.

The Delta Sigma Theta held its regular chapter meeting Monday, March 15. The new members were elected to the following offices: Custodian, Miss Hazelle Shaw; assistant treasurer, Miss Naomi Harper, and reporter, Miss Mildred I. Griffin.

#### KAPPA ALPHA PSI.

Gamma had its regular meeting Monday night, March 15. Many helpful plans were discussed and some are going to be put into execution.

Brother Beshears of Cedar Rapids was in the city last Friday, March 12.

Brother Slater placed second in the shot put at Illinois where the university track team battled with Illinois university track team.

The Delta Sigma Theta sorority entertained the chapter last Friday evening at the sorority home in a dancing party. The fellows of the chapter are indeed proud that the Delta Sigma Theta's have initiated their pledges and thereby automatically dispensing with the probation formalities.

As examinations are just a few days off the fellows have turned their attentions wholly to matters of review and fine research. Just about this time every quarter the air is permeated with the prayers of both dubious and confident students. These tasks are but the beginning of the making of men.

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#### KEOKUK NOTES.

(Mrs. Selby Johnson.) Mrs. Emanuel (Proctor) entertained the following at a four-course breakfast at her home in honor of Mrs. Ida Frazier of Chicago, Mesdames C. H. Waters, Silinda Craig, Alonzo W. Draine and Geo. W. Snoddy. The color scheme (yellow) was carried out and all agreed that the room was beautiful and that Mrs. Proctor proved herself to be a splendid hostess.

Howard Adams is visiting relatives and friends in St. Paul indefinitely.

The program (missionary) by the New Movement class at Bethel A. M. E. church with Rev. C. R. Waters, was one of the best that has been rendered on these occasions since Rev. Waters has been pastor.

The special B. Y. P. U. program at Pilgrim Rest church was well received. A splendid audience was present. Mrs. Carrie Smith and Mrs. Mary Smith pleasingly sang solos and Mrs. Selby Johnson talked on "Training the Young People." Great results are expected from the B. Y. P. U. under the leadership of Mrs. Berdie Williams and her able assistants.

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Sunday afternoon fortells a revolution of things in the literary and women local and otherwise will lecture and give other literary work from time to time.

Rev. J. Sterling Moore is very optimistic and his work this year and hopes to accomplish even greater things this year than he did last year.

The Lenten tea at the home of Mrs. Minnie Bland was well attended and all enjoyed the splendid luncheon and hope to go there soon again. The next church tea will be at the home of Mrs. Fred Fields on Thursday. This is another one of those fine Episcopal homes where all enjoying going to a splendid tea and all anticipate a successful affair.

Those who are on the sick list are Mrs. Courtright, Mrs. James Grigsby, Mrs. Fred Holmes and the Steels, but all are improving.

Miss Alta Bradley spent Sunday in Argyle with the home folks.

The community was shocked to the uttermost at the sudden death of Thos. Buckner at Summitville. He died of a hemorrhage of the brain. He leaves a widow, four sisters and one brother. Several nieces and nephews. Relatives came from Kansas City and Indiana to the funeral.

After a long and painful illness Thos. Morris died at St. Joseph's hospital last Tuesday. Rev. C. R. Waters officiated at both this and the Buckner funeral. Mr. Morris leaves a widow and two sons. He too was buried at Oakland cemetery.

Earl Taylor has returned from Shelbyville, Mo., where he was called on business last Saturday.

Mrs. George Ashby was all smiles Sunday while she was driving with her brother, Luther Hardin, in his new five passenger Buick.

Gertrude Johnson has been indisposed this week.

The B. Y. P. U. program at Pilgrim Rest church on Thursday night was well attended and highly praised. The people in general are highly pleased to see Mrs. Mamie E. Moore mingling among them after her serious illness a few weeks ago.

Be sure and hear the Easter cantata Easter Sunday night at Pilgrim Rest church, by special request the beautiful play from "Gethsemane to Calvary" will be repeated.

Mrs. Marjorie H. Toombs will have charge of the Easter program at Bethel A. M. E. church and they will certainly render a splendid service.

Mrs. James Franklin is out again. Do not forget the work for the big drive for the Keokuk branch of the N. A. A. C. P.

#### MT. PLEASANT ITEMS.

Mrs. Pinkie Palmer Reeder of Des Moines is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. Tillie Williams is recovering from a sick spell.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Weinouah are on the sick list.

The King's Daughters met at the home of Mrs. S. H. McCracken on South Jackson street last Friday. Considerable business was transacted. New officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Myrtle Reed; vice president, Mrs. Parthenia McCracken; secretary, Mrs. Louise Greenup; assistant secretary, Mrs. Rose Wells; treasurer, Mrs. Anna Anderson; benevolent treasurer, Mrs. Amanda Bartlett. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. A very nice time was had. Next meeting will be held March 28 at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Reed when officers will be installed.

The Bishop Allen club gave a leap year social at the home of Mrs. M. McNeal last Thursday night. Although the weather was bad quite a little crowd was present and a very nice time was had. Quite a number were present from Fairfield. A neat little sum was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stewart were visitors in the city last Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hubbard of Fairfield at-

tended the leap year entertainment of the B. A. club last Thursday evening.

#### CENTERVILLE NEWS.

(Mrs. Crittenden.) We are having some nice weather again and people are talking 'garden' everywhere.

Sunday was another beautiful day and the pastor was at his best and gave us two good and soul stirring sermons both morning and evening. Everything is still on the move.

The Sunday school is planning to have an Easter program.

The Mission circle is doing nicely. Sister M. Tiddings, vice president of the circle is carrying everything right along.

Mrs. Clara G. Jones is in Albia nursing Mrs. A. E. Warden (white) who lost her husband a few weeks ago in this city and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Nate Kendall.

There will be a social given Saturday evening at the church by the mission women.

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The pastor has moved from Wilson street to the parsonage 314 South Nineteenth street. We feel proud that we now can truly say the parsonage of the second Baptist church.

The sick are still on the mend. We have a few new sick, Mrs. Ada Childs, Mrs. Tillie Mayfield, Mrs. Bernice Price fell from a step ladder and sprained her ankle which is giving her much pain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenora Lewis entertained Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Jones and daughter, Aldine, Mrs. A. L. Crittenden and family and Mrs. H. A. Clark of Unionville, Mo., at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening. A six course luncheon was served. Mrs. Clark is visiting her mother and other relatives for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Clara Jones was in the city on business a few days last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Alford were delightful entertained at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis on Thursday evening. A delicious lunch was served. Covers were laid for six.

Mrs. H. A. Clark and mother, Mrs. Crittenden visited in Mystic Thursday afternoon with their sister and daughters family, Mrs. Elwood Brown, Mr. Brown has just recovered from the flu.

We learn that Mr. Henry Johnson and his daughter, Mrs. Phillip Jeter is quite sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Jones entertained at a big chicken dinner Friday at 4:30 the guest of honor was Mr. Jones, mother, Mrs. Clara Jones and Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. H. A. Clark of Unionville, Mo. Covers was laid for ten.

Mrs. Jones left for Albia on the 8 o'clock car where she is caring for the Mrs. A. E. Warden.

Mrs. Clark left Sunday morning for her home in Unionville, Mo.

The club of the N. A. A. C. P. will meet at the church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.—Mr. E. Good, president; S. H. Jones, secretary.

Get in line, read the state paper and see what our race is doing.

#### OSKALOOSA, ITEMS.

(By Cora Moore.) Sunday was a fine day. And the services at the Second Baptist church was well attended. Rev. R. P. Palmer, pastor, seemed to be at his best all day. An unusually large crowd was out Sunday night and worshipped with us. Mrs. Della Brown and Mrs. O. B. Smith appeared in the choir Sunday night. The Mesdames Arthur Crowder, Nelson Boyd and Eugene Russell gave a "leap year social" Thursday night at the Second Baptist church, which was a success, so far of the year. Girls with their beaus; wives with their husbands and wives with other wives' husbands made up the gathering. Just a polly good time was enjoyed by all present.

The Baptist ladies know how to do things. In this instance they brought the money to the line. As a neat sum was realized. We hope this same committee will entertain again some time in the near future. As sociability is the thing most needed in Oskaloosa. All Sunday schools are reported in splendid conditions.

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Mrs. O. B. Smith of Evans attended the leap year social at the Second Baptist church Thursday night.

Mrs. Rosie Mitchell and daughter, Miss Irene are home after an extended visit among relatives in Bloomington, Ill.

Mrs. Ida Mennerson arter four weeks confinement, a victim of the flu, is able to be out again.

The Woman's Mite Missionary society of Shorter's A. M. E. church will meet Thursday in the parsonage.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Mission circle of the Second Baptist church met at the church Sunday afternoon and elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Susan Stewart, president; Florence Adams, vice president; Emma Boyd, treasurer; Anna Hobbs, chaplain;

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