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# THE BYSTANDER

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XXVI NO. 14. DES MOINES, IOWA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1920. Price Five Cents

## NEGROES CAN'T VOTE IN GA.

### Chicago Conference Closes

The Thirty-eighth annual session of the Chicago annual conference has gone into history. It was the most successful from every standpoint that has ever been held. Many important changes were made the most important of which was:

At the conclusion Sunday evening Bishop L. J. Coppin, presiding, announced that the conference that had heretofore been known as the Chicago conference had been divided into two conferences.

One including the city of Chicago and vicinity will continue to be known as the Chicago conference and the other comprising all Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, the Dakotas and a portion of Canada will be known as the North West conference, with Des Moines as its headquarters.

Sunday was a day of rejoicing among Christians of all denominations, the visiting ministers filled the pulpits of several churches of the city. The meeting at Corinthian Baptist church was particularly successful. St. Paul never saw such a religious rally both morning and afternoon. More than twenty persons were added to the church among whom were Rev. and Mrs. Liles of the Congregational church and some of their members.

The Rev. S. L. Birt who built and pastored the local church was transferred to Bethel the largest church in Chicago and the Rev. W. D. Cook who was the same length of time at Bethel was signed to the local church.

Among the other important assignments to past were the following:

Evanston, Ill., R. E. Wilson; Milwaukee, Wis., J. Q. Morley; Madison, Wis., F. J. Peterson; Rock Island, Ill., Eugene Thompson; Davenport, Iowa, R. Ransom, Jr.; St. Stephens church, Chicago, T. L. Reeves; St. John's church, Chicago, G. W. Melan; Galesburg, Ill., R. Thomas; Burlington, Iowa, M. R. Rhonson; Quinn chapel, Chape, H. E. Stewart; Intercession Church, Chicago, J. M. Henderson; Wayman Chapel, Chicago, B. U. Taylor; St. James Church, St. Paul, Minn., J. C. Anderson; St. Peter's Church, Minneapolis, J. J. Evans; Sioux City, P. M. Lewis; Council Bluffs, J. P. Simms; Cedar Rapids, C. R. Waters; East Des Moines, C. H. Clayback; Ottumwa, E. B. Edwards; Mt. Pleasant, B. F. Hubbard; Oskaloosa, R. B. Manly, and Calgary, Canada, John Strong.

Presiding Elders were assigned as follows:

Des Moines Dist., A. W. Hackley; St. Paul Dist., T. B. Stovall; East Chicago, J. H. Higgins; West Chicago, N. J. McCracken; North Chicago, Louis Owens.

The next session of the Chicago conference will be held at Wayman church, Chicago, which is the first session of the newly organized Northwest Conference will be held at Milwaukee, Wis.

The delegates left praising Des Moines to the highest for its hospitality, spirit and the great work that had been accomplished.

### Negroes Must Stop Trading at Grunds

The Negroes on and near Center St. have made Grund's store what it is today—rich, but as usual they did not realize that he would do the usual thing, bite the hand that had fed him. The American Co-operative Inv. Co., at 1106 Center street, a Negro enterprise, operates a grocery store directly in front of Grund's. Last week when the Negro institution began to draw heavily upon his store these honorariums attempted to stop the Flynn Dairy Co. from selling the Co-operative Co. milk, and did succeed for a couple of days until the directors actually forced the dairy to cease its pernicious action.

This is a deplorable situation. It should be known in every colored family in town. The store should be picketed. Circulars should be printed telling of this fact. The "societies" and "associations" of the city should spread the propaganda. This will help Grund and his kind will do.

A great many colored people have various excuses for trading with Grund. "My mother traded there," "the gives me credit," "his prices are not so high," all of which are absurd. Examine your weights, credit slips and then investigate the prices at the colored store and you will come out about the same in the end.

There are numerous large stores who would rather see Negroes trade with their own stores and yet who welcome any overflow trade. The Public Market is one in point. The manager there advertises with the Bystander, he believes in Negroes supporting their institutions and the prices and produce are the best.

Piney Woods School is one of the unique institutions of the country in that like Chicago University, it is an all the year school; Prof. Jones never allows it to be closed down. Sixty to eighty students and teachers are on the grounds the entire summer.

He reports the following departments in active operation:

**Office.**  
Under the direction of Miss Eva Spells, a graduate of Piney Woods school, the office department was sending out fifty thousand pieces of mail, through the school's own United States post office of which Mrs. Laurence G. Jones is a postmistress and Miss Spells clerk in charge as well as secretary to the principal.

**Printing Office.**  
In charge of a senior student, Miss Ollie Thomas, had just finished running off the fifty thousandth piece of mail being sent out by the general office and had started on the school's paper, the Pine Torch, which has a circulation of 100,000 copies.

**Boarding Department.**  
One of the liveliest departments on the ground was that one under Mrs. B. Robinson, a graduate of Spellman seminary. Aside from supervising the laundry, dining room and kitchen, Miss Robinson had the school's steam canning plant in full operation and was in the five thousandth quart of fruit and vegetables canned this summer.

**ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.**  
The academic department under Miss Elizabeth Price, a graduate of Tuskegee had just closed for a few days vacation. Some students were rejoicing over having made up work they were back in there over having gained some new credits.

**Agricultural Department.**  
Prof. Luther Harper had his hands full harvesting and getting ready for fall crops. His department was cutting and baling hay, filling the silo, grinding and cooking molasses and in it was ably assisted by Mr. Collins.

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### Must be Centuries Old To Vote in Ga.

**MUST BE A RESIDENT PRIOR TO 1402, TO VOTE IN GEORGIA**

Georgia has been known to do some absurd things especially in its dealing with the Negro citizens but this proposed law surpassed anything. Rep. Harris is no doubt a hero in Georgia. The following article is quoted from the Indianapolis Freeman which sets out in detail the original bill:

If Methuselah had been a colored man and lived in Georgia, he would have the distinction of being the only man of his race in that great commonwealth who would be entitled to vote in the coming election, according to a bill introduced in the Georgia Legislature by Representative Harris of Heard County, the other day. The bill provides that a colored person must be a resident of the Empire State of the South since the year prior to 1402, before he can undertake even to consider any of the other ordinary qualifications for voting. Representative Harris' bill is a rare as well as a curious document, and is as follows:

"AN ACT TO forever forbid the privilege of voting to certain persons."

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same that from and after the passage of this Act:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person born on the Continent of Africa, or descendants of persons born on the Continent of Africa since the year 1402 A. D., to vote or hold office in the State of Georgia.

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that all laws, parts of laws, usages and customs in conflict with this law be, and the same are hereby repealed."

While Candidate Cox is galivanting up and down the hustings, striving to impress the colored American voter with his love for the race, his confederates and sympathizers are expressing their devotion to Georgia by legislative enactment like the foregoing.

### Iowans Next Governor in Des Moines

Nate E. Kendall was in Des Moines two days last week, attending the Republican conferences, speaking to businessmen and to organizations of women, and discussing frankly any and all phases of the campaign in Iowa. He made it plain that when he is inaugurated governor he will be quite prepared and free to give to Iowa an administration progressive and forward looking in all things and that he will devote himself wholly and unreservedly to the business of the state and the welfare of all the people. He will not divide his time in any way, and he will draw upon an experience of many years in the public service to assist a Republican legislature in working out the problems of legislation and state government. Despite that an effort has been made to line up all Des Moines against Kendall by appeals to class interest or prejudice it was demonstrated that Kendall is very popular especially with the conservative business men of the Capital City, and he will get their vote almost solidly. It was also evident from all that happened that Kendall is the choice of a great majority of the women and that they realize how well fitted he is to carry on the affairs of the state government. Everywhere it was recognized that his years of experience in legislation, state and national, assure to Iowa an executive well prepared to work in perfect harmony with the legislators, all who are working for the good of the state.

### Negro Millionaire Dies in Texas

Charles Brown, who died at his home here a few days ago at the age of 90 years, was probably the wealthiest, but one of the most unostentatious, Negroes in the world. He is believed to have left a fortune of considerable more than a million, some estimates placing the figure at \$2,000,000.

It is known that Brown owned at the time of his death about 3,000 acres of land, a considerable part of which is in the heart of the wonderfully productive West Columbia oil field, all under lease. He received an enormous revenue from oil wells under the ownership of his estate which is in all the lease contracts. He was also a successful farmer during his long life. He leaves a family of seven children and a number of grandchildren. Although the aged Negro did not set store by a reckless display and expenditure of money, he was liberal in providing for his children.

Brown's physical and mental condition was vigorous up to a few days before he died. He made no change in his manner of living when fortune came to him. He was a familiar figure on the streets of West Columbia and surrounding country. Frequently he was seen driving along the roads and streets in a farm wagon. Although his children rode in high priced automobiles their father was content to follow the even tenor of his old life. He was always held in the highest respect by the white people of the town and section.

### Hear Dr. Washington On The Victrola

We are about to hear the late Booker T. Washington himself again: About eight years ago the late Booker T. Washington, at the request of an official of the Columbia Graphophone company had a record made of his famous Atlanta exposition speech which because of its wisdom and foresightfulness first brought him into worldwide fame. Only one record was made for Dr. Washington and since his death it has been in the possession of his younger son, Davidson. The latter treasured it more than any other possession because it was his father's voice and took great pride in playing it for friends.

He has been loathe to put it on the market—but at the request of his many friends has finally consented to do so. A singular incident attended the meeting of young Washington and some of the Columbia officials. While talking to some of them, a gentleman was introduced who proved to be the man who had made the record for Dr. Washington.

It seems wonderful and singular that in these tense and critical times we should again hear the voice of Dr. Washington the voice of the man who did things—who did things and who left for his race a wonderful, tangible monument—seems like a voice from heaven—shades of the past. If we could but hear Douglas or Lincoln and a few of the mother great leaders of yesterday it would help us mightily in these days of crises. When the lure of gold is making so many of those who might be great—lessers.

Every American citizen should have one of these records in his home.

### Election of Officers

The officers of election of officers chosen for the ensuing year are: Mr. M. Askew of Sioux City who has served four years, was unanimously elected to head the lodge as D. G. M. for the fifth time.

Other officers chosen were A. G. Rhodes of Buxton, deputy district grand master; C. D. C. Ashford of Waterloo, district grand secretary; W. D. Miller of Des Moines, district grand treasurer; H. G. Greene of Sioux City, district grand director; W. M. Bell of Colfax, district grand organizer; G. O. Terrell of Colfax, district grand auditor; H. George H. Woodson of Buxton, district grand attorney, and E. J. James of Davenport, district grand instructor.

The district grand most noble governor, Edna K. Albert of Keokuk; the district grand right noble governor, Cora M. Harrison of Sioux City, and the district grand worthy treasurer, Sophia Nichols, of Des Moines, were all re-elected to their offices by acclamation.

Other officers chosen were district grand worthy recorder, Ada Greene of Cedar Rapids; district grand worthy chamberlain, Ella Walker of Sioux City; district worthy usher, Fernedia Goggin of Des Moines; grand noble governor, Clara Crawford of Des Moines; district grand worthy prelate, Mary Manning of Des Moines.

After the installation of the grand officers the Past Grand Master Mabel, Governor Kate Green presented the Grand Master Noble Governor Edna K. Albert a lovely cut glass vase from the grand body No. 30 and 21.

It was moved by C. D. C. Ashford, 10,008 and seconded by G. W. Ashley, 6,111 that the District Grand Lodge stand in a vote of thanks to Brother S. A. Spencer for his faithful and efficient service as D. G. S. Carried.

### Wanted to be His Own Boss

By Lawrence C. Jones.

Twenty years ago Mr. L. W. Williams of Lexington, Mo., came to Boone, Iowa (shipped in) to work in a hotel. A little later he was married to Miss Ida Griffin of Quincy and after fifteen years residence in Boone decided to open up business for themselves.

They moved to Clarinda nine years ago and opened up a restaurant, four years later a grocery department was added.

Today the D. N. B. (do no better) cafe is second to no other eating house in Clarinda. Ninety per cent of his trade is white and they are doing a business with a gross income of \$10,000 a year.

Mr. Williams says they bar nobody on account of race color or previous condition of servitude but that their place bars a great many people in that everybody white and black must come decently clothed and orderly.

Mr. Williams has had a hard struggle but he has been an honest and an indefatigable worker struggling successfully toward the ideal of being his own boss. Side by side, sharing his joys and sorrows, has been Mrs. Williams and they have gone over the top.

As Grand Chancellor Knights of Pythias for thirteen years is noble evidence of the great esteem in which the people of Iowa hold Mr. Williams.

What Mr. Williams has done others can do and there is an abundance of opportunity right here in Iowa for a hundred business enterprises of the same kind.

### Young Washington In Des Moines

Davidson Washington, youngest son of the late Booker T. Washington was in Des Moines last week, in the interest of his vocation. He reports that his visit was successful in that the people of the city gave liberally to the cause which he represents.

Mr. Washington is also interested in putting on the market a phonographic record of his father's famous speech at the Atlanta exposition. The record may be procured in this district by calling or writing the Bystander office. Price \$1.50.

### Senator Harding to Speak Here

Warren G. Harding will be in Des Moines from 9 to 12 o'clock about Oct. 7 and at a big meeting at the Coliseum all Iowa people who come to the city will get a chance to see and hear the next president of the United States. It is especially desired that the women come out and hear the senator. The colored people as a whole should hear him—a man aspiring for the presidency who has spoken fearlessly on the race question.

**Keep Well and Be Happy.**  
If you would be happy you must keep your bowels regular. One or two of Chamberlain's Tablets taken immediately after supper will cause a gentle movement of the bowels on the following morning. Try it.

### Delayed by Sickness

At Turner's hall, Third and Scott streets, the Iowa District Grand Lodge No. 30 and the Iowa District Grand House, Hold of Ruth No. 21, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows met on the above date in their Thirty-eighth and Eighteenth Annual Session respectively.

District Grand Master Mansfield Askew, presided over the D. G. S. and District Grand Master Noble Governor Edna Albert, presided over the D. G. H. H.

District G. M. M. Askew arrived at the hall at 9:10 a. m. and was greeted by the several officers, delegates and visitors. A short time was consumed in getting acquainted.

At 9:40 a. m. the D. G. M. called the lodge to order and appointed Rev. G. O. Terrell, D. G. M. and M. V. P. J. G. Chaplin who read for scripture, lesson the 136 Psalm, offered prayer for the lodge after which opening ode was sung and the meeting was declared open for such business as may come before the lodge. Each session was well attended and there were about two hun-

### Makes Mid-Summer Visits to Miss.

Prof. Lawrence C. Jones Back to Iowa After Two Weeks Inspection Visit to Piney Woods School.

After attending the National Negro Business League in Philadelphia and making a business trip to New York and Boston, Prof. L. C. Jones went down to Mississippi, for his mid-summer visit to Piney Woods school.

He reports a most interesting visit and says that instead of his force of students and teachers needing inspiration, they inspired him; with their activity in trying to do the things they thought would be most pleasing to him.

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## Harding's Creed for Humanity

### Republican Candidates

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**BEAR THIS IN MIND**

Thousands of colored people who have moved into Northern labor centers from the Democratic South, CAN VOTE, provided they hold the qualifications of other men. The fact that they are colored does not interfere. Tell them of this privilege, and direct them to their county or city chairman of the Republican organization, who will be glad to give them full instructions.


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EDITORIALS

A Jewish grocery store attempted to have Flynn dairy refuse service to a colored grocery because the latter drew too much Negro trade. Give these fellows a chance and they will all show their hands. Maybe our folks will wake up then.

Last week we published an editorial scoring Mr. Chas. Ransom for his failure to give recognition to Negroes in the Republican state campaign. In the same issue a news item appeared which stated that Mrs. S. Joe Brown had been recommended by him and appointed from national headquarters to be state organizer of colored women. This was a fair bit of colored woman. This was a fair bit of colored woman. This was a fair bit of colored woman.

Andrew (Rube) Foster, noted colored baseball player and magnate said in an interview in New York: "When Senator Harding said that 'the federal government should stamp out lynching' he just naturally hit the ball and knocked Cox out of the box. Nobody but a man of Foster's inclination would have thought of this. The colored people are helped to outwit."

Jacob Schiff died in New York Sunday. He was born in Germany, came to the United States many years ago and soon entered the financial world with Kahn, Loeb & Co., of New York, one of the oldest and best institutions in America.

Mr. Schiff was a philanthropist of the highest type. He gave both time and money to the Jewish, Negro and far east relief work.

Fords have been reduced to pre-war prices. Some other manufacturers have followed suit. Some of the big packers said they did this long ago but the consumers have not. It is evident that the packers control the market and the buyer while the packers don't; some joke.

I SAW IT IN THE BYSTANDER

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 29.—In an effort to save the Indian race from further intermingling of Negro blood, C. B. Trailer of Hominy, Okla., son of the chief of the Osage tribe will ask Governor Hobby to present to the next Texas legislature a bill preventing the intermarriage of Indians and Negroes. Through his efforts Oklahoma already has such a law and a similar law was recently passed in Louisiana. He believes that it is imperative that Texas enact the same legislation.

The Osage tribe is the wealthiest in the United States and one of the most advanced. Its lands are rich with oil and its per capita wealth is in the hands of the government amounts into the millions of dollars. The Indian has followed the white man in all his bad habits, so there is little surprise in this instance.

INFORMATION DIGEST

(By Robert D. Durr.) It cost Uncle Sammie about fifteen million dollars per day to run this establishment called the U. S. A. Four times as that of 1914.

Article 10 of the League. The members of the league undertake to respect and preserve as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league. In the case of any such aggression or in case of threat or danger of such aggression the council shall advise upon the means by which this obligation shall be filled.

Effective Aug. 1, 1920, the headquarters of the American expeditionary forces, Washington, D. C., will be discontinued. By order of the Secretary of War Peyton C. March, M. T. C. of staff.

The Franklin and Ford Motor Car companies have knocked some of the meat off Miss High Prices' bones, and Sears-Roebuck and Montgomery Ward took a whirl at her last week and knocked off a big piece. This initiative when you see that a thing needs to be done do it without being told.

Switzerland called the "Watch tower of the continent during the war" and the "whispering gallery" has more disposed royalties and less American visitors. After all this year nothing seems unusual there. The most perfect order prevails. A news representative of the

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MAKES MID-SUMMER VISIT TO MISSISSIPPI

(Continued from page 1.) Truck Garden. The surprise of the summer was the truck garden of Mr. Shelton James, who not only raised enough vegetables for many varieties to supply the sixty odd people, but kept the canning plant busy. Piney Woods had never seen such a fall garden as he has coming on.

During rainy days Mr. James and his boys are kept busy in the blacksmith shop at which he is also an expert worker.

A brand new industry at Piney Woods

which attracts a great deal of attention from all about the country is the brickyard under the direction of Mr. J. D. McCarthy. To see the mud mill, the dirt cart, the yard and the kiln going up was indeed an inspiration.

In all of this work, three faithful boys, Willie Buck, Ben Jones and Monroe McClaurin ably assisted the instructor wherever needed.

And so the work at Piney Woods goes from day to day, everybody busy all of the time. When not at work they are in a literary society or band practice for Piney Woods has the only brass band in the county. No wonder they turn out active, wideawake, ambitious students.

Prof. Jones says that anybody who this summer would have been as happy as he was to have seen the perfect co-operation.

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, November Term, 1920. Zada Woody, Plaintiff, vs. Walter Woody, Defendant.

You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of October, A. D., 1920, the petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, claiming of you an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

And that unless you appear and defend before noon of the second day of November Term, A. D., 1920, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines on the first day of November, A. D., 1920, of default will be entered against you, and judgment rendered thereon.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1920. W. G. ANDERSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

I want fifty people who want to make some money soliciting subscriptions to write or call for information regarding the special commission offer, I'm making to live, energetic hustlers. ROBERT D. DURR, Cir. Adv. Mgr. THE BYSTANDER

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In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, November term, A. D., 1920. Harry Watson, Plaintiff, vs. Mary Watson, Defendant.

To Mary Watson: You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of October, A. D., 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the November term, A. D., 1920, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines on the first day of November, A. D., 1920, of default will be entered against you, and judgment rendered thereon.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1920. W. G. ANDERSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, November term, A. D., 1920. Geraldine Riley, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Riley, Defendant.

To Joseph Riley: You are hereby notified on or before the 30th day of September, A. D., 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be 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 a divorce from the bonds of matrimony on the ground of desertion.

For further particulars see petition, and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the November term of said court, which will commence at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, on the 1st day of November, 1920, default will be entered against you, and judgment rendered thereon.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1920. JAMES B. MORRIS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, November term, A. D., 1920. Edna Green, Plaintiff, vs. Geo. Green, Defendant.

To Geo. Green: You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of October, A. D., 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion, cruel and inhuman treatment.

And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the November term, A. D., 1920, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines, on the first day of November, A. D., 1920, of default will be entered against you, and judgment rendered thereon.

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Blind Boone concert will appear at the auditorium, Oct. 11, under the auspices of Ashbury M. E. church. Tickets on sale at E. S. Morgan stores, Frank Perry and Humbard's and Miles restaurant.

Among the noted men visiting the Chicago annual conference were Bishop Brooks of Baltimore, Bishop A. J. Carey of Chicago, Rev. Charles Sumner Williams of Indianapolis and two general officers, Rev. R. Ransom, editor of the A. M. E. Church Review; Rev. J. D. Barksdale, editor of the Western Christian, recorder and Dean Woodson of Wilberforce.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL NOTES. Dr. Cook is well known to most of us by reputation at least, and if we may judge the future by the past, there are many good things in the immediate future for the Sunday school and church here.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES. The Sunday afternoon meeting of the Crocker-street Y. M. C. A. began last Sunday afternoon. The religious work committee is planning an interesting and helpful program for everybody.

Y. W. O. A. NOTES. The regular Sunday afternoon vesper service of the Tenth street center began the past Sabbath. Mrs. Carry Morgan Figgs, a visiting delegate to the A. M. E. conference talked to the young women of the work that was being accomplished by the united forces of women in other sections of the country.

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Mr. N. L. Black of Washington was in the city last week attending the conference. While in the city he called at the Bystander office.

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### EDITORIALS.

**A Jewish grocery store attempted to have Flynn dairy refuse service to a colored grocery because the latter drew too much Negro trade. Give these fellows a chance and they will all show their hands. Maybe our folks will wake up then.**

Last week we published an editorial scoring Mr. Chas. Ramson for his failure to give recognition to Negroes in the Republican state campaign. In the same issue a news item appeared which stated that Mrs. S. Joe Brown had been recommended by him and appointed from national headquarters to be state organizer of colored women. This was fair but Mr. Ramson is subject to severe criticism until recognition is given according to our strength. We report here that Mr. Cummins, the candidate for re-election as United States senator needs every vote that can be mustered up. The only way to get them is through a perfect organization of all forces.

Andrew (Rube) Foster, noted colored baseball player and magnate said in an interview in New York:

"When Senator Harding said that 'the federal government should stamp out lynching' he just naturally hit the ball and knocked Cox out of the box." Nobody but a man of foster inclination would have thought of this. The colored people are helped to outwit.

Joseph Schiff died in New York Sunday. He was born in Germany, came to the United States many years ago and soon entered the financial world with Kuhn, Loeb & Co., of New York, one of the oldest and best institutions in America.

Mr. Schiff was a philanthropist of the highest type. He gave both time and money to the Jewish, Negro and far east relief work.

Fords have been reduced to pre-war prices. Some other manufacturers have followed suit. Some of the big packers said they did this long ago but the consumers have not felt it. Ford evidently controls his prices down to the buyer while the packers don't; some joke.

### I SAW IT IN THE BYSTANDER.

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 29.—In an effort to save the Indian race from further intermingling of Negro blood, C. B. Trailer of Hominy, Okla., son of the chief of the Osage tribe will ask Governor Hobby to present to the next Texas legislature a bill preventing the intermarriage of Indians and Negroes.

Through his efforts Oklahoma already has such a law and a similar law was recently passed in Louisiana. He believes that it is imperative that Texas enact the same legislation. The Osage tribe is the wealthiest in the United States and one of the most advanced. Its lands are rich with oil and its per capita wealth in the hands of the government amounts into the millions of dollars.

### INFORMATION DIGEST.

(By Robert D. Durr.)  
It cost Uncle Sammie about fifteen million dollars per day to run this establishment called the U. S. A. Four times as that of 1914.

Article 10 of the League.  
The members of the League undertake to respect and preserve as against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league. In the case of any such aggression or in case of threat or danger of such aggression the members shall advise upon the means by which this obligation shall be filled.

Executive Aug. 1, 1920, the headquarters of the American expeditionary forces, Washington, D. C., will be discontinued. By order of the Secretary of War Peyton C. March, M. T. C. of staff.

The Franklin and Ford Motor Car companies have knocked some of the meat off Miss High Prices' bones, and Sears-Roebuck and Montgomery Ward took a whirl at her last week and knocked off a big piece. This initiative when you see that a thing needs to be done do it without being told.

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Zada Woody, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Walter Woody, Defendant.  
To Walter Woody:  
You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of October A. D., 1920, the petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, claiming of you an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

And that unless you appear and defend before noon of the second day of November Term, A. D., 1920, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines on the first day of November, A. D., 1920, of default will be entered against you, and judgment rendered thereon.  
Dated this 14th day of September, 1920.  
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In the District Court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, November term, A. D., 1920.  
Harry Watson, Plaintiff,  
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Mary Watson, Defendant.  
To Mary Watson:  
You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of October, A. D., 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

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Dated this 14th day of September, 1920.  
W. G. ANDERSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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You are hereby notified on or before the 30th day of September, A. D., 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be 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 a divorce from the bonds of matrimony on the ground of desertion.

For further particulars see petition, and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the November term of said court, which will commence at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, on the 1st day of November, 1920, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon.  
Dated this 28th day of September, 1920.  
JAMES B. MORRIS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Turner Harris and Laurence C. Jones, Jr., had a most enjoyable visit with Little Miss Estelle Stratton at Mason City, Iowa.

Miss Elizabeth Price has returned from a very pleasant vacation in Alabama.

The Miss Callendar, a new arrival in Gulfport. Mr. R. D. Oatis, a former student of Piney Woods and a graduate of the grammar department finished High school at Three Oaks, Michigan, with

great honor last June. He not only stood high in his class but had built up a milk route and when sold, together with his savings account gave him a bank account of some \$1,000 odd dollars.

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The lessons for the quarter commencing Oct. 3 are found in the new testament, so instead of types and symbols, as we had in last quarter series of lessons, we shall deal with the realities as found in Christ, the Lord. The subject of lesson 1 is: "Birth and Childhood of Jesus," Matt. 2:1-15. Dry Bones in the Valley.—Thou shalt call his name Jesus; for he shall save his people from their sins, Matt. 1:21.

Next Sunday Pastor Griffith will preach in the morning. Subject, "The Revival of the Very Dry Bones in the Valley," and in the evening subject, "He was in the Plains, but He Went Up."

The covenant meeting and communion service will be held at 8 o'clock p. m. Every Friday evening the pastor makes fifteen minute talks on the Second Coming of Christ.

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# IOWA NEWS

## OSKALOOSA ITEMS

Mr. William Taylor left last week for Memphis, Mo., to visit his mother and family.

Bros. Hookaday, Mrs. Jeffries and Mrs. Black were in Des Moines visiting the conference.

The Durbar recital given at the new Baptist church Tuesday evening, Sept. 21 by Mrs. Jenetta Morton of Keokuk, Iowa, proved to be a success in receipts, \$50.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Crowder spent Sunday in Evans, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis of Evans, Iowa were very pleasant callers at home of Rev. and Mrs. B. P. Palmer Saturday.

Misses Edna Jones and Bertha Jefferson left Wednesday night for Braxton, Miss., where they are both instructors in the Piney Woods school. They will stop at Memphis, Tenn. and Jackson, Miss., to be guests in the Jackson home and relatives before the school opens.

Miss Jefferson has been an all summer guest of the parental C. C. Jones home.

Mrs. Robert Franklin and daughter, Miss Roberts, departed Wednesday morning for Gary, Ind., where they will be 10 days guests in the home of Mrs. Franklin's daughter, Mrs. Frank Lee. Mrs. L. Johnson came up from Ottumwa to care for Mrs. Franklin's home while she is away.

Oskaloosa was well represented at the emancipation celebration Wednesday in Ottumwa, twenty being present in the afternoon.

The stewardess board gave a surprise party Monday night for Rev. and Mrs. Brown, prior to their leaving Tuesday morning to be present in the general conference which convenes in Des Moines this week.

## ALBIA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson and two children, James Jr. and Mildred of New York, who have been visiting all summer at the home of Mrs. Anderson parents of Mr. B. T. Lewis, returned to Buffalo, N. Y., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Weeks of Ottumwa visited over Sunday in Albia at the parental B. T. Lewis home.

A number of Albians attended the celebration in Ottumwa this week. Among the number were Miss Bernice Jones, Miss Henrietta Jones, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Elsie Johnson, Miss Ella Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Butler and son, Lawrence.

Miss Henrietta Jones returned to Los Angeles after a month's visit at the parental H. Jones home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Butler visited at the A. M. E. conference in Des Moines over Sunday, also Mrs. Chas. Washington.

## OTTUMWA ITEMS

(Mattie Veasey, agent.)  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green and family spent Sunday in Chillicothe, Mo., Mr. Robert Durden of Peoria, Ill., is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. O. Bibbs left for Ames, Iowa, to attend college.  
Little Jiggs Slaughter is on the sick list.

Mr. William Jones spent Sunday in Chillicothe, Mo.  
Mr. George Thomas, Mr. William Alena were over Sunday visitors from Lovilia, Iowa.

## RED OAK ITEMS

Mr. John Stewart, who has been visiting a few weeks at Clarinda, Iowa, returned Saturday night for a few days visit in Red Oak.

Mr. E. B. Cook of Omaha, Neb., passed through here Saturday on the night train for Clarinda, where he expects to look after business.

Miss Fay Ashford, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Emanuel Keene, left for her home in Bedford, Iowa, Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. S. Jones, Jr., and Mrs. Keene and Miss Fay Ashford returned to Shenandoah, Iowa, Sunday afternoon to the ball game. They resided at the home of Mrs. Joe Jenkins and on their way home they visited Miss Nellie Wilkerson and her sister, Mrs. Lucy of Essex, Iowa.

Mr. Thomas Q. Jones, Jr. went to Emerson, Iowa Tuesday on business. Mrs. Jones visited friends in Emerson, Tuesday.

Mrs. Rosa Everhart and children went to Wales, Iowa, to visit a few days with her parents who are prosperous farmers in that locality.

Mr. P. S. Everhart motored to Shenandoah, Iowa Sunday afternoon to the ball game.

Mr. Bandy of Essex, Iowa, is very sick at this writing.

## PLEASANT NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wyaat are visiting in Ottumwa the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Greenup.

Mr. George McGregor returned to home in St. Paul, Minn., last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bramble left for Oskaloosa, Iowa, last week.

The many friends of Prof. J. M. Watts will be glad to hear that he is able to be home after suffering from malaria fever at St. Mary's hospital.

Miss Agnes Mason left for Des Moines last week after remaining there for awhile. She expects to again travel in the interest of the "Florence Crittendon" school.

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## BURLINGTON NOTES

(Special to Bystander)  
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## MADISON, MO. NOTES

(Maudie Tydings)  
A ball game was staged here Sunday week, between the Moberly ball team and the Madison ball team, the score being 13 to 3 in favor of Madison. The batteries for Madison were Maupins and Tydings.

Miss Sadie Harris and Hilda Goch left for school at Jefferson City, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tydings, John Tydings and Herbert Tydings, Archie Tydings motored to Arkansas, Mo., to their three days fair.

Misses Ruth Tydings, Edna Burgess, Mr. Irve Burton and O. D. Bassett left last week for southern Christian institute, Edward, Miss.

Miss Jessie Marie Stevens of Middle Grove, Mo., is here visiting relatives.

Quite a few Madison people attended the three day fair at Auxvasse, Mo., last week. Everybody reported a good time.

Archie Tydings spent last week in Auxvasse, Mo.

Mr. Caskey Burgess is visiting his sister in Moberly, Mo., Mrs. O. Burgess this week.

Mrs. L. Devine, Mrs. Rosa V. Brown of St. Louis, Mo., and Rev. Herrod of Indianapolis, Ind., had a wonderful lecture.

Miss Maudie Tydings, Misses Nadine and Edna Burgess, Archie Tydings visited Miss Rita Miller last Sunday.

Last Saturday night a pie social was given by the Sunday school. A singing contest was also held between the intermediate and adults.

Mr. Noah Beechum was an out of town visitor here Sunday to Mrs. Jackson's home.

Mr. Aubrey Gossett and Estell Burges of Mineola, Iowa, visited her home last week.

## COUNCIL BLUFFS ITEMS

(Mrs. Tillie A. Reese.)  
On Sept. 12 Rev. J. P. Jackson married Mr. Raymond Clayton and Miss Gladys Burk. The bride was born and raised in this city, is a charming young lady, and a member of the Tabernacle Baptist church choir. Mr. Raymond Clayton is also a smart young man having bought and furnished a lovely home at 3016 Avenue E. The carnation club of which Mrs. Clayton is a member gave a dinner shower on Mrs. Clayton at her home 3016 Avenue E. Many useful presents were received. The Tabernacle Baptist church choir gave an informal shower for Mrs. Gladys Clayton at the home of Mrs. Emanuel, 1705 Avenue C. Lunch was served at 10:30 and 11 o'clock the guests departed. The Persian Cloak Co. of Omaha, Neb where Mrs. Gladys Clayton was employed since her school days gave twenty-five pieces of cut glass.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Jackson of 1531 Avenue A gave a reception in honor of Mrs. Rebecca Coleman of Pontiac, Ill.

Mrs. Tillie A. Reese entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robinson of Marshalltown, Iowa.

Mr. Robinson is C. G. M. of the Knights and Daughters of Labor for the state of Iowa. While in our city he organized a tabernacle known as Morning Star No. 592, the H. P. is Tillie A. Reese, 1415 Avenue A. He also organized a Temple No. 445, the C. G. M. is William Givon, 1530 venue B.

Miss Agnes Fountain and Mrs. T. A. Reese gave an auto party in honor of Mrs. Rebecca Coleman of Pontiac, Ill., and Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of 1520 Broadway entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmon of K. C., who

were their week end guests. Mrs. Barmon is a sister of Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Gladys McGregor of 17 South Seventeenth street gave a luncheon in honor of Mrs. B. Coleman, who is visiting in our city.

Mrs. Tillie A. Reese gave a smoker in honor of her husband's birthday. Twenty gentlemen were present. The out of town guests were Mr. Frank Barmon, K. C., Mr. H. Preston, H. Kendrick, Omaha. Mr. Reese received many beautiful presents. The evening was spent in music and games. At 1 o'clock the guests wished Mr. Reese many happy birthdays and departed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fountain, who have been visiting their old home in Kentucky have returned home.

Mrs. Selena Carter, who has been very ill is now better.

**ORIGINAL NOTICE**  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, November term, A. D. 1920.  
Kate Tilson,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Ned Tilson,  
Defendant.

You are hereby notified that on or before the 20th day of September, A. D. 1920, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of non-support, cruelty and infidelity and conviction of a felony.

For further particulars see petition and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the November term, A. D. 1920, of said court which will commence on the 1st day of November, 1920, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon.  
Dated this 14th day of September, 1920.  
W. G. ANDERSON,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Albert Pitts,  
Defendant.

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W. G. ANDERSON,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Oda Butler,  
Defendant.

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