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Local NAACP Plans Drive

To Give Free Trip to Los Angeles to One Bringing in Largest Number of Members

What promises to be one of the most sensational contests ever staged in this country, is now being sponsored by the various branches of the N. A. A. C. P. The winners of which are to be given a free trip to the Nineteenth annual session and held in Los Angeles, California, June 27th to July 1st.

Rosenwald Gives \$1000 To NAACP

New York, April 19.—Julius Rosenwald has made a gift of \$1,000 toward the work of the N. A. A. C. P. It was announced today at the National Office, 69, Fifth Avenue, and on the spot by a check for \$250 arrived from Moorfield Storey of Boston, the N. A. A. C. P. National President.

NAACP Started Anti-Lynch Fight

New York, April 19.—Generous tribute was paid to the leadership of the N. A. A. C. P. in beginning the national fight against lynching, by Charles S. MacFarland, General Secretary of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, in an article published in a number of newspapers recently.

A. M. E. Laymen Seek Places On Committee; Bryant Leads Fight

Bryant Expected to Lead Fight For Recognition of Laymen; Oppose Increase of Bishops' Salaries

OTHER MATTERS TO COME UP

(By R. A. Adams)
Chicago, Ill., April 20.—(PNS)—"There will be a hot time in the old town tonight, describes what is expected to occur in Chicago during the sessions of the A. M. E. General Conference which opens here on May 7.

The main interests with which the pyrotechnics will be connected will be laymen membership on the Episcopal Committee, removal of bishops from their present districts and the establishment of new departments.

Investigate Killing Of Negro Attorney In Chicago Election

Chicago Bar Association Makes Enquiries Into Death of Politician; Opponent to Be Called For Questioning

N. C. University Journal Gives Issue to Negro

New York, April 19.—The N. A. A. C. P. has received advance sheets of the May number of the Carolina Magazine, published by students at the University of North Carolina, the entire number being given to the work of Negro poets and writers.

Conference Delegates May See New Mexico

New York, April 19.—Latest plans for the entertainment of delegates and visitors to the 19th Annual Conference in Los Angeles, June 27 to July 3, of the N. A. A. C. P., include a trip of 150 miles along the California Coast down to San Diego, according to Dr. H. Claude Hudson, President of the Los Angeles Branch of the N. A. A. C. P.

Bill To Commission Bandmasters Passed

New York, April 19.—The N. A. A. C. P. is informed by Wade H. Hammond, Band Leader of the 10th Cavalry, that the Band Bill which would give commissions in the Army to colored as well as white band leaders, has passed the Senate and is now pending in the House of Representatives as H. R. 481.

Wife Slayer Held For Court

Memphis, Tenn., April 20.—(PNS)—Wesley Hunter, aged 24 years, who admitted that he shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Boush Hunter, as she raised the window at her home Tuesday night, Hunter told officers that he was ambushed near the house and fired the fatal shot when his wife came to the window.

He was indicted Wednesday on charges of murder and carrying a pistol. He told police that he shot his wife because she was unfaithful.

Past Exalted Rulers' Cou'l Dance Apr. 23

Past Officers of Local Elks Prepare for Third Annual Mid-Western Convention

In an attempt to parallel on a lesser scale the Mardi Gras of New Orleans and the Ak-Sar-Ben of Omaha, the Past Exalted Rulers Council of Iowa, No. 35 of I. B. P. O. E. W., will hold forth their first annual Grand Ball, Monday evening, April 23, at Turner's Hall, Eighth and Mulberry Sts., according to an announcement made last week by J. G. Browne, chairman of the affair.

Generators to Play

The Joy Generators, fast local dance band, has been secured to furnish the music. The orchestra has been increased to ten members, especially for the occasion, it was stated. Gerald Hayes, popular song and dance star, will supply the fun in regular Al Johnson black face style.

Preparing for Convention

The Ball is one of a series of entertainments, which the organization is staging preparatory to the third annual convention of the Mid-Western Association of Elks which is to be held here beginning May 27 to 29. The price of admission is fifty cents.

Finds Most Lynchings in Small Counties

Young Finds That Counties With Small Population Have Largest Number of Lynchings

New York, April 19.—Basing his article on the lynchings figures of the N. A. A. C. P., contained in "Thirty Years of Lynching" and supplements to date, Eric Fiske Young writes on "Lynching and Political Areas" in the March-April number of "Sociology and Social Research, published at the University of Southern California.

Goats Replace Dogs in Laboratory Work

Tusculoosa, Ala.—Resourcefulness is necessary in the scientific laboratory as it is in industry. Dogs are among the most valuable animals for laboratory study in the medical sciences. In the South, however, they are difficult to obtain. Regardless of their lack of any sort of a dignified pedigree, hardly anybody is willing to part with them, even for a good price. In the eastern States, relate the ill to human beings.

No such sentimental feeling, however, attaches to goats. And they abound in the South. So Dr. George T. Piek of the University of Alabama medical school has turned to these mammals for experimental work in surgery and pathology, finding them valuable substitutes for dogs and much less expensive. They are not only as easy to handle as dogs, he has learned, but they stand operations well and their reactions in certain pathological experiments are satisfactory.

Girls' Home Tag Day on April 28

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, chairman of the Trustee Board of the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's clubs, maintaining a home for colored girls, who are making their own way through the State University at Iowa City, takes this method of announcing their Annual Tag Day on Saturday April 28th, in which all club women and their well wishers will be expected to participate. Mrs. Brown announces that there are in the home at this time seventeen girls, coming from five or six different states, taxing the home to its utmost capacity, and that on this account at the next annual meeting she will recommend the enlargement of the home so as to relieve this congestion and that for this reason there is need of an extra amount of funds. This being the only time that the club women call upon the general public for the support of this very worthy cause, they are urged to contribute liberally.

School Segregation Case Up On April 30

New York, April 19.—Edward McKinley Cacyon, of counsel for the Gary Branch and the N. A. A. C. P., reports that the continued fight against school segregation in Gary, Indiana, will have a court hearing on April 30. Mr. Cacyon writes to the National Office of the N. A. A. C. P. "I have no other feeling than that we will win and the children will be permitted to go to Emerson (High School) before June. That is our goal now."

Grand Matron To Make Tour

The following is the itinerary of Maud O. Thompson, Grand Worthy Matron of the Iowa Jurisdiction, O. E. S., for 1928:

- Thursday, March 22nd, Olive Branch, Des Moines, No. 32; Monday, April 2nd, Guiding Star, No. 31, Haydock; Wednesday, April 4th, Queen of South, No. 26, Albia; Thursday, April 5th, Esther, No. 4, Ottumwa; Friday, April 6th, St. Elmo, No. 3, Burlington; Saturday, April 7th, Fidelity, No. 30, East Madison; Monday, April 9th, Electa Chapter, No. 17, Keokuk; Wednesday, April 11th, Martha, No. 27, Muscatine; Thursday, April 13th, Naomi, No. 1, Davenport; Friday, April 14th, Starlight, No. 29, Davenport; Monday, April 16th, Leah, No. 8, Clinton; Tuesday, April 17th, Ruth, No. 20, Dubuque; Wednesday, April 18th, Queen of Sheba, No. 19, Waterloo; Thursday, April 19th, Palestine, No. 18, Mason City; Monday, April 23rd, Harmony, No. 22, Sioux City; Wednesday, April 25th, Star of Bethlehem, Cannel Bluff; Thursday, April 26th, Rose of Sharon, No. 16, Clarinda; Friday, April 27th, Princess Zora, No. 10, Des Moines; Monday, April 30th, Princess Ozell, No. 10, Des Moines; Tuesday, May 1st, Golden Star, No. 31, Fort Dodge; Wednesday, May 2nd, Esther, No. 5, Oklaheola; Thursday, May 3rd, Leaf, No. 5, Cedar Rapids; Friday, May 4th, Excelsior, No. 12, Marshalltown; Tuesday, May 8th, Pride of West, No. 14, Emmetsburg; Wednesday, May 9th, Queen of Sheba, No. 24, St. Paul, Minn.

Subject to Change. The Lord will provide, but not necessarily in the state to which you have been accustomed. Boston Transcript

Wisconsin Socialist Plans To Make Lynching a Felony

Berger of Wisconsin Introduces New Anti-Lynching Measure in House; Would Fine Lyncher \$5,000 and officer \$10,000

Washington, D. C., April 20.—(PNS)—At each turn of the road some honest minded American has the courage of his convictions to endeavor to do something to erase one of this country's vilest blot on its reputation map. The latest effort to make America safe for democracy is a new anti-lynching bill which would make it a felony to take part in a mob attack or for a state officer to permit a prisoner to be taken from him, was introduced in the House of Representatives Thursday by Representative Victor Berger, of Wisconsin. The measure would also penalize the county in which the mob attack occurred.

Bleasé Again On Rampage

Bleasé, Renowned S. Carolina Senator, Again on Warpath; Dislikes Hoover's Move to Ban Census Bureau Segregation

Washington, D. C., April 20.—(PNS)—Cole Bleasé, the eloquent senator from South Carolina, seized an opportunity to ride his famous hobby—preaching race hatred—declared on the floor of the United States Senate Tuesday that Republican leaders, in an effort to obtain the Negro vote, "are making the Republican party a steen in the nestrils of every decent citizen."

Dr. Feike Is A Candidate For Representative

Dr. L. V. Feike has announced his candidacy for the legislature subject to the republican primaries June 4. Dr. Feike is well known to the men and women of Lincoln Post and Auxiliary of the American Legion, having taken part in many of its activities.

Ancient Bones Found in English Village

Rahmham, England.—The importance of Great Britain as a field for further archaeological survey has been brought out by several important discoveries made by workmen during excavations here. Bones which are believed to have belonged to two ancient Britons who were buried at about the time of Julius Caesar's invasion were found in a stone coffin which was unearthed in a street beneath the surface. The coffin was "piled from a solid block, while the lid was composed of two large stone slabs and several smaller stones. Fragments of bone were found inside. A quantity of rubbish, was also found inside the coffin, but one interesting discovery was a horn drinking vessel. Two clay pots, one almost spherical and without ornamentation and the other about five inches high and bearing traces of crude design, constituted the remainder of the discoveries. The finds are expected to be turned over to experts of the British museum for thorough examination.

Library Ban Taken To Higher Court

Effort of W. Va. School Board to Segregate Libraries Taken to Higher Court After Circuit Judge's Decision

Charleston, W. Va., April 20.—(PNS)—The state supreme court will be asked to pass upon the action of the Charleston board of education in designating separate public libraries for the use of white and colored school children. T. Gillis Nutter, counsel for a group of race people, announced that an appeal would be taken to the state's highest tribunal from the decision of Judge A. P. Hudson of the Kanawha County Circuit Court in which he held the school board was given authority by the state legislature for its action. Not Proper Remedy. Judge Hudson, in his decision, said the writ sought was not the proper remedy. He said, "the board is bound under the law to furnish adequate facilities to each race," and suggested that "the proper remedy would be by procedure to require the board to furnish the colored people an adequate library."

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DARROW IS RIGHT

Clarence Darrow, addressing a Florida audience, states that the Negro spends too much money buying and building churches, much of which might be spent in commerce to a better advantage to the race.

Many will, of course, misunderstand his remarks. Right here in Des Moines we have more money invested in churches than in commerce. And even though the greater portion of the Negro race works for wages, the percentage is entirely too high.

This condition has grown up under the old theory that the minister was simply responsible for the spiritual well-being of his congregation, and the cost of housing the congregation had no relation to the wealth of his members. However, ministers are taking interest in his members seven instead of one day each week, which naturally involves a sympathetic knowledge of securing means of supporting the church.

THE NEGRO IN AMERICA

J. C. Browne

The Negroes' enemies in Congress did by every means in their power and on every occasion prevent any legislation that had any chance whatsoever that carried any relief for the Negro troops already in the government service. The Negro soldiers had to suffer and wait until public sentiment in the North was aroused through adversity and impending defeat to a sense of its obligation due to its loyal black defenders.

Senate Hostile to Negroes.
The Senate was especially hostile to any act that vouched safe justice to the Negro soldiers. For long periods bills were introduced and persistently urged on Congress to no avail, while not only the Negro soldier but his dependent family suffered for lack of food and clothing. Some regiments served for a period of sixteen months and only received pay for five or six months while the charges for loss of equipment or arms was the same as that of their white comrades. Special praise must be given to the Hon. Charles Sumner and the Hon. Henry Williamson for their noble stand in defense of our simple rights. To them we owe undying gratitude and homage. A study of the records of these sessions will show who advocated the fraud.

Officers Indignant

It must be said here with due credit to the officers in charge of colored troops that they were greatly incensed at the perpetrators of this fraud and made no secret of their indignation. The following is an extract from a letter sent to the editor of the New York Times by Colonel T. W. Higgins, commanding the First South Carolina Volunteers, Sunday, February 14, 1864: "May I venture to call your attention to the great and cruel injustice which is impending over the brave men of this regiment? They have been in military service for over a year, having volunteered every man, without a cent of bounty, on the written pledge of the War Department that they should receive the same pay and rations with white soldiers."

Saxton Writes Pledge

"This pledge is contained in the written instructions of Brigadier General Saxton, Military Governor, dated August 1864."

COMING—April 26—Central Association. WHAT IS IT? WATCH THIS COLUMN.

The Week's Poem

By Viola P. Jones

KEEP SINGING

When you're feeling kind o' bad, sing;
Lots of things to make you sad, sing;
Sing your sorrows all away,
Sing, be happy all the day, sing.

Trouble knocking at your door, sing;
Never knocked so hard before, sing;
"Jesus Saviour pilot me,
Over life's tempestuous sea," sing.

Everything just seems all wrong, sing;
Just can't seem to plug along, sing;
"Unknown waves before me, roll,
Hiding rock and treacherous shoal," sing.

Consolation is found in song, sing;
Adds you to that happy throng, sing;
Yes, "I hear thee say to me,
Fear not, I will pilot thee," sing.

25, 1862. Mr. Solicitor Whiting, having examined those instructions, admits to me that 'the faith of the government was thereby pledged to every officer and soldier under that call.'

"Surely, if this fact were understood, every man in the nation would see that the government is degraded by using for a year the services of the brave soldiers, and then repudiating the contract under which they were enlisted." We presume too much on the supposed ignorance of these men. I have never found a man in my regiment so stupid as not to know when he was cheated. If fraud proceeds from government itself, so much the worse, for this strikes at the foundation of all rectitude, all honor, all obligation.

Make Fatigue Troops of Negroes

The idea of making fatigue troops of the colored regiments was another form of injustice perpetrated upon Negro soldiers. The officers of these troops felt it to be degrading to single out colored troops for fatigue duty, while white soldiers stood idly by. "Such treatment savors too much of the old regime, and if persisted in will utterly ruin the prospects of making soldiers of black men. Negroes will not enlist for this purpose, nor will efficient officers enter the service. The class of men who are willing to drill and discipline a body of soldiers will not, for any consideration, consent to become overseers for black men. Rather would they carry their rifles in the ranks of fighting men."

Negroes Patriotic

Negroes in America have done everything possibly expected of patriots to earn their citizenship, but what they have done pales into insignificance when compared to the indignities they have suffered at the shrine of liberty.

Cause of Heartburn

Heartburn is not due to acid stomach, or any condition of the stomach contents, but to a muscular distention of the digestive tract itself, and can be controlled by medicine, according to two noted American physicians.

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ANEMIA

Anemia is a disease of the blood in which the red corpuscles are reduced. The blood appears to the naked eye as just a red fluid but when examined under the microscope it is found to be made up of two kinds of corpuscles, the red ones and the white ones. The red ones are responsible for the color of the color of the blood and carry the oxygen to the tissues. The white ones are defensive and attack infection whenever it enters. In any case causing reduction in the red cells anemia is the result. This anemia may result from the loss of blood in any kind of hemorrhage or bleeding or may be caused by anything that causes destruction of the red cells inside the body. Anemia may be caused by living for long periods on improper food; in Bright's disease, in fevers and in conditions where pus is or has been retained somewhere within the body for some length of time. One form called Chlorosis occurs in young girls, the cause of which is unknown. The most serious anemia, called Pernicious Anemia, comes on very slowly without any other sign except weakness and pallor, and for this reason is seldom recognized until it is very far advanced. It is impossible to tell that such a disease exists without the aid of the microscope, and it is important to know that it exists so that it may have proper treatment immediately. Most of them respond to medical treatment and



Knowledge of History

Duty of Citizenship

There never was a time when the average man needed to know more about the continuity and tradition of his race than in this age, when he is beset on all sides by agitators who seek to trample under foot anything that custom has hallowed or experience taught us to be true. Bacon advocated the reading of history as making men wise, and it is to be hoped that the revival of interest in our country's story is being undertaken in the spirit that ought to underlie all our reading, not that of blind acceptance, or that of contradiction, but with an open, alert mind, so that we may weigh and consider well before lending our support to or withholding it from any proposed political reform. The reading of history is the first duty of citizenship.—Exchange.

Lost Art of Individuality

Nobody wants to be individual all alone these days. Alike as rabbits, we are. Running with the pack. One beats, and millions seek the shears. One skirt slips up to the knees and all the other skirts spring up into place as at a given signal. One woman decides not to bother with all that bleaching her summer tan, and deep ochre powder becomes the rage. Men echo each other in opinions—they've always echoed each other in clothes—women repeat one another in faces, in the type of head (no large heads any more, heads must be small no matter what Nature has done to you), in clothes, and in conduct. We're as standardized as Ford's. Even artists look like the business men—and yet they don't feel or think like business men. And young girls look and act like women of thirty. And women of fifty can't tell themselves from their daughters.—Delineator.

Rich Man's Lot Easier

The rich man today has an easy time of it compared to his brother who lived in ancient times when wealth was wholly in the form of land and houses and flocks, according to J. M. Campbell writing in the New Age Illustrated. "The rich man of a thousand years ago," he says, "was really the slave of his possessions. The more land he owned, the more houses, the more cattle, the more sheep and horses and goats, the more family he had to work. But the rich man of today can turn his belongings into income-producing securities and go where he pleases. For a comparatively small sum he can rent a safe-deposit box in which his stock certificates and bonds and mortgages will be safer than they would be if he kept them in his own hands."

Tough on Zeke

"Zeke," said the judge to an old offender, who had been convicted of stealing a hog, "you are fined \$10." "Judge," said Zeke, "I'm much obliged to you. I've got dat ten-spot right here in mah left-hand vest pocket." "Is that so?" continued the judge. "Just dig down in your right-hand vest pocket and see if you can find thirty days."

Pool!

Marie was very enthusiastic regarding the new minister, and young Will longingly was inclined to be jealous. "Oh, he is superbly eloquent!" cried Marie. "He can move his hearers to tears." "That's a poor accomplishment," said Willoughby, sarcastically. "I would scorn proficiency in an art in which every sneeze is my equal and every peeped onion my superior."

Flag for Army Dead

Until recently the American colors were draped about a soldier's coffin regardless of his rank, yet only an officer of the rank of major or higher was entitled to have his casket encased by the regimental and national flags. The regulations now prescribe that at all military funerals, without distinction of rank, the colors, when available, shall be displayed and be carried with the escort.

RICH PROFITS IN BEETS ON FARMS

Crop Made Into Sugar Nets Growers of United States \$55,000,000 Last Year.

Chicago. — One hundred thousand farmers in the United States are engaged regularly in growing sugar beets to satisfy the nation's sweet tooth, according to a bulletin issued here by the U. S. Beet Sugar Association.

"More than \$55,000,000 was paid to farmers for their sugar beets in 1927," says the bulletin. "Approximately \$60,000,000 acres of land were devoted to sugar-beet culture in 10 states, while there are 102 beet sugar factories in the United States in which \$280,000,000 in capital is invested. Production of the sugar amounted to 1,070,000 tons for the year."

"Sugar beets are one of the most profitable of American crops and the farmers growing them are, in effect, partners in the beet sugar industry. The beet sugar industry must establish its plants in farming communities, since it is essentially an agricultural industry depending on the farm for its product and because sugar beets cannot be shipped great distances without deterioration. The factory not only furnishes a cash market close to the door of the farm, but gives employment to farmers, farm laborers and mechanics living near by. It increases the business of the railroads, and the small town banks and merchants."

"Raising sugar beets improves the soil and increases the yield of succeeding crops. The extensive root system of the plant opens and aerates the ground, enabling it to retain and utilize a greater supply of air and water. The roots frequently descend into the soil to a depth of seven or eight feet. The small roots remain in the ground after the beet is pulled and contribute valuable fertility to the process of decay."

"Beets are an important factor in crop rotation. Results in scientific crop rotation with beets as the pivot have demonstrated that the productivity of the soil in yielding crops can be increased from 50 to 80 per cent."

"By-products, including beet tops, beet pulp and molasses, have developed an extensive sheep and cattle-raising industry in the neighborhood of the beet sugar factories. In localities where beet pulp was used as a feed for steers in 1927, an investigation showed that while pulp made up 82 per cent of a combination ration, its actual price amounted to only 37 per cent of the total cost."

"Not every farming area in the United States may grow sugar beets. But the present sugar beet producing areas might be greatly expanded if farmers were assured adequate tariff protection, insuring them against the invasion of foreign sugar produced under cheap labor conditions and living standards with which they cannot compete."

Checkerboard Sandwich

Checkerboard sandwiches for the bridge luncheon is the demerit of fashionable society. Dainty morsels of white and whole wheat bread, made to look like mosaic work, appeal not only to the palate but the eye. Spread them with any filling you like, or simply serve them in their pristine innocence with clear tea and a portion of lemon. Either method is quite correct. And then there's cheese and parsley, rolls and layer loaf sandwiches, both companion favorites of the hostess with a taste for the individual.

Here are some suggestions on the easiest and most artistic method of making all three:

Checkerboard Sandwiches.
Make three-layer sandwiches of alternating one-half inch slices of whole wheat and white bread; spread generously with margarine or butter. Slice the three-decker down in one-half-inch slices. Combine three of these slices to make cubes, using first a slice with the whole wheat bread in the center, then the white, then the whole wheat. Spread each layer with margarine or butter, press, and slice thin. These sandwiches are picturesque as well as delicious.

Cheese-Parsley Roll.
Cut away the crust from a sandwich loaf and slice lengthwise of the loaf in thin sections. Spread the whole slice with butter or margarine, then with a filling made from cream cheese, softened with cream or salad dressing and mixed with bits of chopped parsley. Roll each long slice up like a jelly roll, let stand a few minutes, and slice thin.

Layer Loaf Sandwiches.
Remove crust from a sandwich loaf as before and cut in five lengthwise slices. Spread with margarine or butter. Put bread together like a layer cake, then cover the entire loaf with softened cheese after the manner of frosting a cake. Decorate the top. Make twelve hours before using and press before covering with cheese. The first layer may be filled with chopped sweet pickles and parsley, moistened with dressing; the second with hard-cooked egg yolks mixed with margarine or butter; the third with hard-cooked egg whites chopped, mixed with cream cheese and dressing; and the fourth with finely chopped oiled ham or tongue with dressing.

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The missionary sisters, assisted by the brethren, rendered a program Thursday evening at the Second Baptist Church. Rev. J. R. Hollins, who left Saturday morning for Ferguson, Minn., will return in a few days. Rev. Green filled the pulpit at Second Baptist Church Sunday. He delivered a wonderful sermon. Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Strong and Miss Rachael Blakey, have returned from their brief visit in Sioux City. Mr. Harry Mitchell, Miss Georgia Grigsby, Mesdames Marie Moxley, Alberta Clemens and N. T. Watkins of Sioux Falls, motored to Yankton. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Blakey, Messrs. Glen Warren and Albert Simpson of Huron were Yankton visitors and guests of Miss Rachael Blakey. Miss Helen Holliday was a dinner guest of Miss R. Blakey. A party of fourteen boys and girls motored to Minnie Colory Sunday. Those on sick list are, Mrs. S. Lewis and Mr. Pete Holley.

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Society and Clubs

The Roosevelt club entertained their wives and a number of friends at a formal dancing party at the Insurance Exchange building Thursday evening April 12. Refreshments were served and the guests enjoyed a splendid evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Johnson have returned from Indiana where they were called because of the serious illness of Mr. Johnson's mother who is much improved at this time.

The E. E. M. Bible Club will meet next week with Mrs. McGuire. Lessons 12th and 13th Chapters of Mark.

BLUE TRIANGLE NOTES

The Elks will be in charge of the Vesper Services Sunday afternoon, April 22d. They will hold their oratorical contest. You are invited to be present. The hour is 4:30 P. M.

There will be a surprise trip for the Monday girls Monday, April 23d. Visitors are invited to go. They will leave the Blue Triangle at 4 o'clock.

On last Friday a style talk was given to the Tuesday and Friday girls by Mrs. Dora Hood Smith. She gave a very interesting demonstration of proper dress for girls.

Friday evening, April 20th, there will be a charm talk for the girls. Subject "Beauty Age." Visitors are welcome.

The I. J. E. Art Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Maze, Friday afternoon, April 10th.

The members of the St. P. C. U. Neighborhood Club gave an attractive dinner party Monday, April 9th, at the home of Mrs. Gilda King, 1051 Twelfth St. Dinner was served from 2 until 4. The afternoon was spent in playing games. The guests included Mesdames McGuire, Humbard, Cassell, Smith, Robinson, Carl, Mayweather, Jefferies, Stoner, Patterson and Miss Regina Crawford.

The T. O. B. Club met at the home of Miss Agnes Drew, 148 Sheridan Avenue, Friday evening, April 13th. The evening was spent in playing 500.

Miss Marguerite Esters has been confined to her home, 1410 Center St., with a bad attack of influenza.

CLUB ORGANIZES CHORUS

The S. L. Birt Club met at the home of Mrs. Minnie Brewer, 937 Fourteenth Street Place, Friday, April 13. The members of the club organized a chorus which will be under the direction of W. J. Shepherd, former choir director at St. Paul A. M. E. Church. Mrs. Sophia Nichols was appointed business manager of the organization. The club will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. G. W. Brown.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH

On April 10th a million dollar wedding was put on by Mrs. Williams and Harvey. This was indeed a very nice affair, and there was a large attendance. Music was furnished by the Bethel Orchestra.

On Thursday evening a deaf and dumb social was given by Mrs. Maggie Jones. A neat sum was realized. A large crowd attended the literary and musical program under the direction of Mrs. Barker.

Sunday closed the rally. Rev. Fant preached a splendid sermon at 11:00 o'clock and at 12:30 we all assembled in the dining room and enjoyed an old fashioned basket dinner. At 3:00 o'clock the mock conference was called to order by the pastor acting as bishop. After all of the presiding elders made their reports the total raised was \$300. Mrs. George Davis district raising the largest amount, was the prize winner.

Mrs. Susie King is improving. The Young Women's Society will meet at the home of Miss Turner. Miss Tate, the president, is carrying the work on nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Kindred were able to be out to service Sunday afternoon after being sick.

CROCKER STREET Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The program last Sunday afternoon, April 16th, was under the auspices of the Omega Chapter of the National Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity. E. L. Dimitry, Historian, arranged the program.

Mr. William Brown of Burns M. E. Church and member of the Committee of Management of the Crocker Street Y., will be in charge of the Sunday afternoon program, April 22nd, from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M.

The Sunday afternoon program for April 29th, the last program of this season, will be an all-church affair with a representative from each local church. Be sure to come to both programs.

The Sunday School Athletic Council met at the Crocker Street Y. last Wednesday evening and elected officers for the present year. The following officers were elected by unanimous vote: Toussant Howard, president; Lee Kemp, vice-president; Gordon H. Kitchen, secretary; Harrison Gould, Treasurer and Jesse Frazier, chairman of schedules and rules. Burns M. E., Corinthian Baptist, St. Paul A. M. E., First C. M. E., Kyles A. M. E., Zion, and Maple Street Baptist were represented.

The Council voted to open the season on April 24th at the West High Stadium, Twenty-first and High Sts. The Sunday schools will be at the Crocker Street Y. at 6:00 P. M. and march in uniforms to the playing ground. The Y. band will lead the procession. Maple Street Baptist and the St. Paul A. M. E. schools will open the season. The Junior League will also take part in the ceremonies. Representatives of the Junior League for boys not yet 16 years old met at the Crocker Street "Y" last Thursday evening to make arrangements for their opening. It was voted by the 15 boys present to open the season on the same date that the Senior League opens and at the same grounds. The Junior League games will be played previous to the regular League.

A group of fraternal representatives met at the Crocker Street Y. M. C. A. last Tuesday evening and perfected a permanent organization for all future activities and in particular an all-lodge picnic on July Fourth at some nearby park. The following officers were elected: W. W. Jones, chairman; Mrs. Jessie Brooks, vice-chairman; Mrs. Jene Morris, secretary; W. C. Bulce, treasurer, and Gordon H. Kitchen, chairman of publicity committee. About ten lodges were represented.

The Committee of Management will meet at their regular monthly meeting, Saturday evening, April 21st, at the building at 8 P. M.

Our Spring and Summer Calendar Baseball—April to August.
Track—East High Stadium, May 30 (Decoration Day).
Learn to Swim—May.
All Lodge and City-wide Picnic—July Fourth.

Tennis Tournament—May and June.
Swimming Meet—August.
Outdoor Meetings.
Camp—August 8 to 16.
Camp Pow Wow—June.

FATHER WRIGHT TO CONDUCT SERVICES SUNDAY

Father E. M. M. Wright of Keokuk, Iowa, will conduct services at the St. Simon Mission, 1208 Center Street, Sunday, April 22. The program will be as follows: Holy Communion 7:30 A. M.; Holy Eucharist with Sermon at 10:45 A. M.; Church school of instructions at 3:00 P. M.; Evening prayer and informational sermon at 8 P. M. Everyone is invited.

THE BABY CLINIC

The Baby Clinic met Thursday from 1:00 to 2:00. Help make your baby one-hundred per cent.

The Child Health Week will be observed the last of May. Enroll your baby now.

The La Mercedi Club met Wednesday at the Community Center with Mrs. Clara Thompson.

HAWKEYE LODGE NOTES

Hawkeye Lodge, No. 160, I. B. P. O. E. W. met in regular session Wednesday evening, April 18, 1928. J. G. Browne, Master of social sessions, made his report of the dance given at Turners Hall, April 10, 1928, for the purpose of raising money to defray the expenses of the Mid-Western Association.

The Educational Committee wishes to announce that tentative plans have been made for holding the Elk's Oratorical Contest at the Y. W. C. A. on Sunday afternoon, April 22nd, at 3:00 P. M. Notice will be given at the morning services, in all of the churches of the city.

Hawkeye Lodge put on its big initiation at Masonic Hall, Saturday, April 14. Four of our leading ministers honored this occasion by their presence. The drive for new members will continue for ten days. The Chamber of Commerce is co-operating with the local committee for its success.

The Fortnightly Club will meet Saturday night, April 21, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Mr. Joseph Wilson of 2828 Third St., has returned to his home from the Mercy Hospital and is improving rapidly.

The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority will observe May Week the first of May.

LINCOLN POST AUXILIARY NOTES

The Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon, April 24th, at 3:00 at the Community Center.

The Big Peace Recruiting Party given Tuesday evening, April 17, at the Community Center proved to be a great success. The word "Auxiliary" was given to each person to make the most words out of it.

The Auxiliary will give their second annual Children's Party, Friday afternoon, April 27, at 4:00 o'clock, at the Community Center. Mrs. Lelia Walker, who has charge of the Cradle Roll Department, will be in charge. All Auxiliary members children are invited.

ALBIA, IOWA

The A. M. E. Church choir was invited to sing Friday at 2:30 at the Presbyterian Church. Rev. E. A. Leonard preached the funeral of Mrs. Leonard Mays of Old Buxton, Thursday. A number of young people of Centerville, Iowa, visited in Albia, Sunday. Rev. E. A. Leonard and sister attended the afternoon quarterly meeting services in Oskaloosa Sunday.

Famous Tournament

The originator of the idea of the tournament of roses in Pasadena was the late Prof. Charles Frederick Holder. The first tournament was held January 1, 1890, and it has been held the first of January ever since.

THE M. C. T. CLUB

The M. C. T. Club met Monday night at the Community Center with Mrs. Edmunds. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Esters at Hotel La Marguerita.

THE L. M. E. CLUB

The L. M. E. Club met Monday night at the Community Center with Mrs. Edmunds. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Esters at Hotel La Marguerita.

Kappas Give "Y" Program

Local Chapter of Negro Fraternity to Open Activities Prior to Guide-Right Week

Omega chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, has arranged an exceptionally good program at the Crocker St. Y for Sunday afternoon, April 15 from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M. The general public is cordially invited and high school and college students are urged to be present. The program is scheduled to present the best talent of local college students and is a preliminary to the fraternity's National Guide Right Week, which begins Sunday, April 22 followed by a week of unusual activities concluding in a monster mass meeting at the St. Paul A. M. E. church Sunday, April 29 at 3:00 P. M.

The program for Sunday afternoon, April 15 at the Crocker St. Y follows: Scripture reading and prayer, W. M. Oney; Cornet Solo, J. Nelson Thompson; musical selection Kappa Scroller's quartet; selected reading, Viola Jones; vocal solo, Miss Susie Finckney; short address, Prof. James L. Dameron; vocal solo, Miss Roberta Maupin; instrumental solo, Miss Clara Webb; Remarks, Gordon Kitchen, Polemarch.

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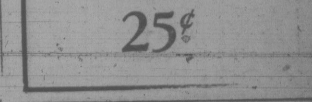
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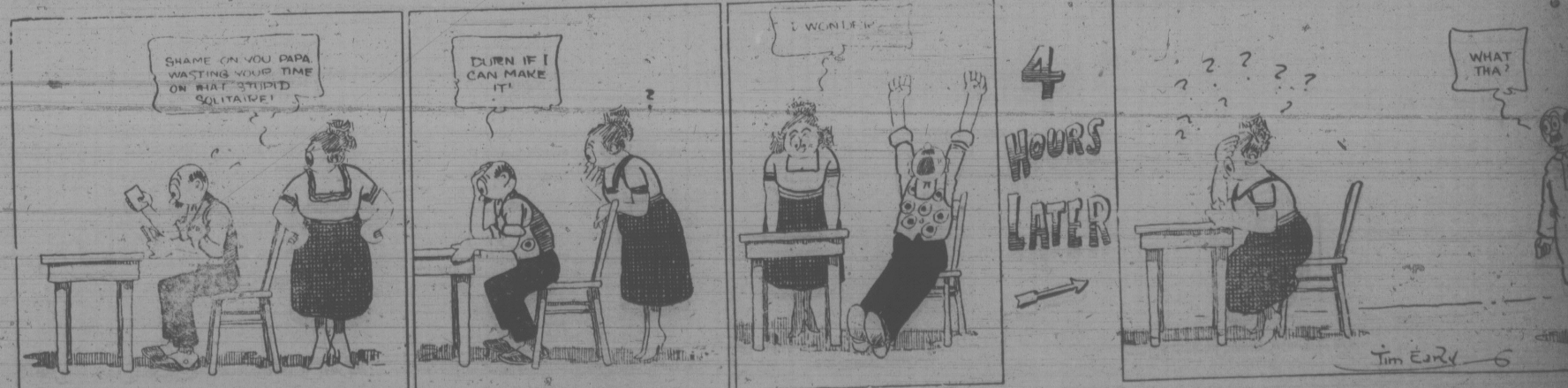
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Sunday services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. P. Green. A program was rendered by the B. Y. P. U. at 8:00 o'clock with Robert Brown, president, presiding. The Missions Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson. The Ladies Aid Society was entertained Tuesday evening, April 10th at the home of Mrs. C. J. Brown. The Busy Bee Club was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Monroe Thompson. Mrs. Lula Douglas, who has been on the sick list for the last two weeks, is much improved. Mrs. Henry Johnson returned from Chicago Tuesday morning after spending Easter with her relatives and friends.

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Blackberry a Nuisance War on the blackberry has been declared in New Zealand. During the last few years this fruit has encroached upon nearly 100,000 acres of valuable dairy land, and thousands of pounds have been spent on vain efforts to defeat it. Insects have now been sent to New Zealand to eat up the blackberry.

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KAPPA AND ALPHA READY FOR TITLE GAME Chicago—All eyes are focused on the savvy ballroom for Friday night when the Kappa Alpha Psi and the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternities are to lock horns to decide the basketball champions in fraternity circles. From where we sit, there isn't a whale of a chance to choose between the two teams, but neither of the teams seem inclined to agree with us as to opinion. The Kappas will tell you they will win by a large score and give you sundry reasons and the Alphas will tell you the same story, and both expect you to believe them. The Kappas feel cocky about the outcome for the reason that they have not lost a game this season. The Kappas rule favorites at odds of five to two to capture the championship.

STAR CAST OF COACHES Louis Watson, coach of athletic teams at the Howard University, is a graduate of Springfield College in Massachusetts. He was a star of the first magnitude in this school on both the track and football teams.

JAPANESE GIRLS LOSE IN CAGE GO WITH Y. W. GIRLS Los Angeles, Cal.—In a very exciting game of basketball played here recently at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A., the Colored Girl Reserves of the Twelfth Street Center defeated their opponents, the Japanese Girl Reserves by a score of 37-14; both teams were good.

JIMMY MINOR HAS NEW HEAVYWEIGHT Jimmy Minor, famous lightweight, formerly of this city now making Hot Springs, Ark., his home, has at this time a new heavyweight. This colored chap tips the Fairbanks just 205 lbs. and stands 5 ft. 2 in. and very clever. His name being Casey Jones. This boy is meeting the best boys in the South and barring none and has a long list of K. O., so look out, Mr. Godfrey.

PEARCE WRIGHT K. O. JOHNSON Topeka, Kan.—Ed Bearcat Wright of Omaha knocked out Jack Johnson in Topeka, Kan., last Monday night in the fifth round of a ten round bout. The former champion of the world stood feet to feet with the Bearcat for the first four rounds, and was put to the vancess for the count in the fifth with a left to the solar plexus and a right to the chin. Johnson scaled 235 and Wright 211 lbs.

JOHNNY LE ROY TO FIGHT IN OTTUMWA Johnny LeRoy, colored lightweight of this city, has been signed to fight Frank Vivian of Ottumwa in a six-round semi-final, April 24th. LeRoy has been going good and hopes to add another one to his list.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our wife and mother and for their many beautiful floral offerings, especially Art Temple, Daughters of Tabernacle, M. Hicks, Court of Calanthe and Rose Temple, No. 33, Daughters Elks, Jones, Wilson for their efficient service, and Rev. Fant for his kind words of sympathy. (Signed) MR. MILES TAYLOR, MRS. LOTTIE CROSS.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends, relatives, fraternal orders, and church auxiliaries for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in the death of our beloved husband and father. Special thanks is extended to Revs. Scott, Robinson and Overton for their wonderful remarks, also undertakers Handy and Carter. MRS. HELEN HENRY and Family.

ORIGINAL NOTICE In The Municipal Court of The City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, Middle Grocery Company, Plaintiff, vs. George W. Jolly, defendant herein. You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Court of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, the petition of the plaintiff for the sum of eleven dollars and seventy cents, and interest thereon, due from you on account of your refusal to pay for goods, wares, and merchandise sold and delivered to you at your request by said plaintiff.

On Building He that alters an old house is tied as a fraterator to the original, and is confined to the fancy of the first builder. Such a man were unwise to pluck down good old building to erect, perchance, worse new. But those that raise a new house from the ground are blameworth if they make it not handsome according to their method and confusion in the work at a rate—Thomas Fuller 1633.

By Mrs. Ernest DeVan During the absence of our pastor, Rev. G. W. White, Rev. G. H. Ross preached at 11 a. m. Easter Sunday. Rev. Ross also preached Sunday evening at 7:30. An Easter program was rendered at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the church and Sunday school. The chorus from Bethel Church of Perry, Iowa, assisted. Rev. White installed the following officers of the Mission Circle: Mrs. J. L. Lytle, president; Mrs. Lus Edmonds, vice; Miss Ella May Allen, secy; Mrs. James Jacobs, treas.; Mrs. G. H. Ross, chaplain. A chicken dinner was given by the Mission Circle in the home of the president.

By Thos. Lighons The grand-worthy matron of the Iowa Jurisdiction, O. E. S. met with Guiding Star chapter, No. 14, Monday, April 2, at the home of the worthy matron, Mrs. Hester C. Stevenson. Accompanying her were the worthy grand patron and the worthy matron of the Des Moines lodge. After the meeting refreshments were served. Easter services were observed by all the church Sunday morning. Sunday afternoon at 2:30 the St. John's A. M. E. Sunday school and Tabernacle Baptist Sunday school rendered a joint Easter program. At 7:30 p. m. an Easter program was rendered by the Mt. Olive Baptist S. S. The Easter Egg Hunt, which was to have been held in Mullen's Park Saturday afternoon was postponed due to the heavy snowfall. Word was received of the sudden death of Mrs. Ann Mays of Miami Buxton, formerly of Haydock. Mrs. Mays was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church. Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey entertained Mrs. Davis Carter, Mrs. Cora Bates and Mr. Fred Lewis at their home. Dainty refreshments were served. At 6:30 p. m. an Easter program was rendered by the S. S. of the Mt. Zion Church. The church was filled to its uttermost capacity.

By Beatrice M. Eaves Mrs. Henry S. Hart was hostess to a lovely dinner Easter Sunday. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mills and family and Rev. and Mrs. A. M. E. Church. Every guest reported an enjoyable afternoon and much praise was given the hostess. The big revival at Antioch Church was followed by an unusually large baptizing service at Walnut Street Baptist Church. After the service, the congregation and candidates went to Antioch Church where the 28 new members were fellowshiped into the church. A soul-stirring sermon was delivered by our pastor, Rev. G. W. Hart. Mrs. Henry S. Hart is attending the Big Campaign for the South at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Rev.

Reason for Webster's Preference for Blue

Daniel Webster spent to Dartmouth college in a handsome suit, of which probably every thread was cut by him and given by his mother's hands from the wool of the own sheep. It was a dyed-in-the-wool suit and the color was indigo blue.

In the South, however, it was used but thought the Yankee dames knew all about the uses of butternut bark and the slate color that lay in the smooch berries and bark of white maple and were not unacquainted with the various dyes that could be made to yield through the agency of vitriol and alum and coppers to "set" them fast. The universal standard in New England was the dye pot, an experience that stood in the chimney corner of every kitchen in that region.

So Webster was fitted out in Indigo blue from collar to ankle. Before reaching Hanover there came on a drenching rain. The suit held its own, but it pained with every drop to tinge Daniel blue from head to foot.

Webster had a liberal stratum of sentiment in his mental makeup, and for some reason the color of his young manhood remained his favorite color through life. He wore blue coats to his dying day. If any one ever saw him in one of a different color the fact has not been made of record.

Cigarette Almost Did for Youthful Artist

How, M. Poulshoff, the famous pianist, made his first appearance on the concert platform makes an amusing story.

Although he was then barely five years old he played beautifully and he was able to give a joint recital with an adult violinist.

The latter went on the platform first and played in solo. Meanwhile Poulshoff, left alone in the artist's room, discovered that his colleague had left a half-smoked cigarette on the mantelpiece. The temptation was too great, and he smoked it.

He managed, in a sort of stupor, he says, to get through a Beethoven sonata, but at the very last chord he fell fast asleep, and had to be carried off the platform, put into a carriage and driven home.

Every Boy Needs a Dog Every boy should grow up with a dog, for the association thereby with make of the boy a fairer, kinder, truer man, some day, when he becomes a man. He will learn to love fairness, justice and mercy, just as he will come to hate meanness, cruelty and cowardice through daily contact with his big-eyed, shaggy-coated, understanding friend. If the boy is happily a vicious, intemperate, or destructive, he will find in his voiceless associate a wordless rebuke for the sins of his commission. It is the inevitable way of a dog with a boy, and the dog knows, moreover, because through him the infinite forces of the universe are functioning as freely as the wind through winter trees—David Arnold Batch in the New Age illus. trated.

Brick Proves Durability A chimney of brick 150 feet in height stands like a sentinel over the abandoned mining town of Belmont near Tonopah, Nev. This chimney erected in the boom days of the town showed the spirit of the men who sought better living conditions in these communities that sprang up over night. Brick was hauled from Sacramento, a distance of over 500 miles, by means of ox teams. With standing the attacks of weather for 55 years, this chimney is in as good condition now as it was when erected by the gold-mad first inhabitants of the town. It gives mute testimony to the durability of common brick.

Didn't Know Him Margie, aged five, was surprised when, after her mother read her a story from a humor column, she told the little girl the story was about herself. The story told briefly of Margie's interest in birthdays and how on February 22, when her older brother told her that it was George Washington's birthday, Margie had asked excitedly, "What did he get? And for mother?" "What did he get?" she was the little girl that made the remark, Margie said, indignantly. "Why, mother, I didn't say that. I don't even know George Washington!"—Indianapolis News.

Time to Be Cautious The commonly accepted explanation of the saying, "Beware of Greeks bearing gifts," is to be cautious in trusting persons who introduce their proposals or requests with gifts. The origin of the saying is a matter of dispute, but it is traced by some authorities to Virgil's statement, Aeneid, II 49, "I fear the Greeks, even when they bring gifts." Presumably, this referred to the wooden horse stratagem at the siege of Troy.

Long and Short of It The late Mrs. Mary Emery of Cincinnati, whose \$5,000,000 art gallery was bequeathed to the Cincinnati Art Museum, was a generous patron of painters, poets, sculptors and musicians.

Once at a Cincinnati town, a clergyman in prison asked Emery for the pen she had bestowed on an aged novelist. "Oh, well," she said in answer, "art is long, but artists are always short."

J. M. Hayes and family were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Saunders Sunday afternoon. A delectable dinner was served by the hostess.

The Annual Easter Ball was given last Monday evening at Kirk's Hall. Music was furnished by the "Lolly, pop." Everyone reported a very pleasant evening. Mrs. N. S. Hackett, a member of our group, was first place in a district music contest at Charles City last week. Mr. Hackett competed in the baritone section. Mrs. L. G. Smith recently returned from Minneapolis, where she was spending a short time with her daughters. Mrs. Smith reported a pleasant stay. Persons having news for Bystander will please submit it to reporter not later than Sunday night.

A surprise was given by Mrs. Edna January of Omaha, Neb., on her nephew, Mrs. Ella Green, 449 South Willard St., Ottumwa, Iowa, Friday evening, April 6th. A large birthday cake was baked and presented to Mrs. Green by her daughter, the candles lighted and all joined in singing happy birthday. The cake was served with ice cream and the evening was spent with jokes and music. Mrs. Lonney Patman and husband of Trenton, Mo., are over Easter visitors with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Smith, 122 Roy St.

All three churches held their regular service Sunday. The Sovay lodge, Eureka Temple, held their Annual Sermon at Mount Zion Baptist Church Sunday at 3:09 P. M. Rev. C. W. Turner preached. Rev. C. P. Jones and wife, Evangelist Lillie A. P. Jones, and little daughter, Alberta Mae Jones furnished the music assisted by the congregation. Malone A. M. E. Church has announced their ten days revival to begin Wednesday night. Rev. M. R. Rhoness of St. Mark Church, Duluth, Minn., will be in charge. Those on the sick list are Mr. Walter Williams, Mr. Edmond, Rev. J. W. Norris, Mr. Alexander, Mrs. Ethel Roy, Mrs. G. McKim and family, Master Frank Williams. The funeral of Mrs. Mary Virginia Williams, 76 years old who died Thursday in the home of Mrs. A. J. Cabell, 1217 McDonald St., was held from the Tabernacle Church Saturday at 2:00 P. M. Rev. C. J. Jones officiated, assisted by Rev. Ludwick of the Episcopal Church, Rev. C. W. Turner, pastor of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rev. H. W. James, pastor of the Methodist Church. Burial was in the Floyd Cemetery. Mrs. Williams had resided in Sioux City fifty years. She was a native of Pennsylvania. Don't forget if you have any news, phone 87801. Tator's Aid held their regular meeting at the residence of Bro. Pearl Wrookwell. After his routine business the hostess served lunch. Mother's League held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Johnson of W. Seventh St. Mrs. Brown, after spending a week in Carroll, Iowa, returned to Sioux City, reporting a fine trip.

Mrs. Turner, wife of Rev. C. W. Turner, was called to Omaha, Neb., Saturday on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Rev. Turner left Monday night to be present for the funeral which was held Wednesday. Mr. Hays of Yankton, S. D., who is employed at the packing plant here, spent Easter at home with his family. Mr. Thompson of Clinton, Iowa, spent Easter in the city, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson on Otto St. He left for his home Wednesday. Rev. H. W. James of the Hutchinson M. E. Church and wife have closed their annual conference at St. Louis, Mo. Harmony Chapter, O. E. S., is preparing to entertain the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Maud O. Thompson, of the Iowa Jurisdiction, who will pay her official visit Monday, April 23rd. Mrs. West of St. Joseph, Mo., is in the city visiting Mrs. Beulah Webb and family. The New England dinner given by the Helping Hand Club, was a grand success. Pastor's Aid, under the supervision of that able president, Sister Viola Williams, at their last regular meeting turned over to the pastor \$5.00. Those who attended the meeting of the revival meeting of the Malone A. M. E. Church: Rev. J. S. Strong, pastor of our church at Yankton, S. D., and wife, Mrs. Mattie Strong, Mrs. Rachel Blaisey, all of Yankton. The Missionary Board met at the Parsonage and gave a collection in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rev. H. W. James. Twelve members were present. The Mission Board held their regular meeting at Mt. Zion Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Rev. N. R. Rhoness, D. D., preached two able sermons Sunday. One joined the church.

By Mrs. B. M. Pertum Mr. Wm. Thompson of 449 Logan St., died at 6:00 A. M., Monday, at Ottumwa Hospital. He was 85 years old, a Civil War veteran. He was highly esteemed throughout the community, prominent in church and social affairs. He is survived by his wife, Martha, and seven children, Mr. Ben Daunt was injured Monday while at work by being accidentally cut with glass, necessitating several stitches to close the wound in right arm. Rev. Geo. Terrell was an over-Sunday visitor in our city, presiding at the service Sunday P. M., at the Second Baptist Church, when Mr. Ben Daunt was ordained at Deacon. The program at the A. M. E. Church was delightfully arranged by the Superintendent, Mrs. Clara Bailey and teacher, Mrs. Della Horn of the Busy Bee Class No. 2, each boy representing a different nationality. The readings by little Max Smith, which were received by applause by all present, violin solo by James Pertum, accompanied by Mrs. Anna Jordan; duet by Miss Pauline and Dortha Patton; solo by Miss Sadie Rutledge, Miss Florine Gerch, teacher, Miss Mary Elliott, was well trained in performing their part on program. The evening program rendered by the choir, Mrs. Anna Jordan, pianist, was one deserving much praise. Paper was read by Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, talk by Presiding Elder Hackett and Rev. Smith, paper by Mrs. J. H. Jordan on the "Resurrection of Christ." Mrs. Belle Thomas is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jess Spriggs on Grant St. Mrs. Ross Price, who is confined at Sunny Slope Sanitarium for tuberculosis, is slightly improved. Mrs. Coats of Groves St. has been indisposed.

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