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The Observer Police Break Up Local "Numbers" Game

More Than Twenty Negroes Found To Be Selling Hot Numbers

"MACK" WILSON WINS ALEXANDER PRIZE

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Lahore, India, (CNS) Jan. 31.—Police at Lahore charged a demonstration of over 3,000 unemployed ex-soldiers...

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Bird's Conviction Will Be for Prejudice

A prominent citizen by long distance call from Council Bluffs stated to the Bystander that if Bird is convicted it will be from sheer prejudice...

Atlanta Institution Admitted to American Association—Recognition of Standards and Efficient Work Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 1.—The Atlanta School of Social Work has just advised of its admission to the American Association of Schools of Professional Social Work...

Workers Wise to Salvate Army Jeer Recruiting London, Feb. 1.—(CNS)—The British workers "wised up" to the character of the leaders of the Salvation Army through the protracted court fight here between various groups for the control of the shanties and property of the organization...

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All Churches, Lodges and Clubs Asked to Help Make Big Bystander Month The month of February is "Iowa Bystander Month". We are asking every club, church and lodge to devote a short period at one of its meetings to some work in the interest of the paper...



Mack Wilson

A few Sundays ago I enrolled in the Normal or Teachers training class at St. Paul A. M. E. Church. This class is conducted by Atty. S. Joe Brown...

Believing that these two gentlemen are eminently qualified to collect and record this marvelously interesting data and believing that it will be both interesting and helpful to the readers of this column...

15,000 BLACK AND WHITE WORKERS DENOUNCE Tom Mayfield's SCORING New York, Feb. 1.—(CNS)—One of three resolutions passed by the Lenin Memorial Meeting at Madison Square Garden, Saturday, January 19, called for an end to the "lynch rope, the stake, Jim-Crowism, peonage, segregation and discrimination"...

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INCONSISTENT

Senator Brookhart has the reputation of speaking what he thinks whether it hurts the other fellow or the senator. While the writer was in Washington last November, he talked with Senator Brookhart with regard to his investigation of the sale of federal patronage in the south. He reminded Senator Brookhart that colored people had begun to get the impression that only Negroes were being investigated and that his committee had been most unfair in this respect. Senator Brookhart replied that he understood that the colored people had this idea and said he was very much put out about it. He further said, "You know I have no desire to persecute the colored people, but that the guilty will suffer whether black or white."

Senator Brookhart further named some present members of Congress from southern states upon whom he had evidence as strong as that against any of the colored people and said that it would come before his committee and that he would expose them.
The writer wants to feel that Senator Brookhart is conscientious and means to do what he says, but unless he brings to the public some of the evidence he states he has about others than Negroes, the claim that colored people only are to fall under the scrutiny of this committee is true.
There are to many charges that the Hoover regime is planning to get rid of Negro political leaders. Senator Brookhart is too smart a man to let his influence be used to drag out these chestnuts.

Here lies the bones of John Jay Jones
Who died in a beautiful way,
When he left this earth, the moon was full
And so was poor old Jay.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION

To L. L. Leonard, (J. L. Leonard), in Whose Name Taxed:
You are hereby notified that on December 31st, A. D. 1925, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot one (1), two (2) and three (3) Block seven (7) Yorks Choice, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines was sold separately at a regular Tax Sale, by the Treasurer of said County to Frank S. Wells for the delinquent and unpaid taxes of the year 1924. Hereon, that the undersigned Frank S. Wells is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued pursuant to the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption is made from said sale within ninety days from the completed service hereof. Dated January 11th, 1925.
FRANK S. WELLS,
By J. H. Olson, his agent.

Weekly Health Talks

By Dr. Hubert H. London

The Thymus Gland

The Thymus gland which has a place behind the upper portion of the sternum in the upper chest has a function more of which is known in disease than in health. Its presence can be demonstrated in babies and children up to a certain age when it naturally disappears or becomes so small and functionless that it is of no more use than the appendix. Whether it has an internal secretion or not is open to question and it has not yet been definitely determined whether the diseases caused by an alteration in its secretion (if it has one) or an increase in its size are due to a chemical condition or anaphylaxis or to pressure on the structures nearby, the trachea for instance when Thymic Asthma occurs. At any rate Thymic Asthma, a condition sometimes occurring in newly born babies has been traced to this enlarged gland as a cause, the condition in most cases being cured by proper treatment directed thereto.



A disease in grownups occurs which has some relation to it and which is accompanied by an enlargement in this gland. It presents different features in men and women but the one thing which is similar in both sexes so affected is the marked weakness which is prevalent most of the time. In this connection its relation to other glands of internal secretion is manifested by the symptoms and signs characteristic of abnormalities of other glands. Certain types of

THE NEGRO IN AMERICA

By J. G. Browne

Sunday, February 3, is the beginning of Negro History week. This is the fourth anniversary of this week in the United States. Negro history in this country has been one of the most neglected studies. A thorough knowledge of our own history for every child of school age is one of the greatest contributions this generation can make towards the future progress of our race. Heritage is the foundation upon which nations and races are developed. Tradition is the rule which we are guided in our daily contracts with our fellowmen. Pride in one's heritage is the driving force that makes each of us ambitious to live up to former standards.

When we as a race develop pride through a knowledge of race history and achievement we will cease imitating the other races and be our true selves.
When we know the history of all people generally and our own particularly we will understand the interdependence of all mankind and that each and all have played an important part in the social structures. Very seldom in history did a family expand into a tribe or a tribe into a nation without an inter-mixture of races. Richard T. Ely, of the University of Wisconsin says "it was the adjustment of the relationships of conflicting tribes that brought about the state." The processes of socialization or the present form of civilization is not the result or achievement of any one race or nation, but an almost imperceptible combination of all. As Tenyson so aptly said, "I am a part of all I perceive."

In all of earth's progress we Negro have been an important factor. So in this week let us acquaint ourselves with our history and we will find this is especially true in American history, from the pilot with Columbus on his voyage of discovery to Perry's companion who stood with him at the pole.

cases need attention focused on the Thymus as the beginner in obscure types of disease.

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Lesson for January 27

THE HOLY SPIRIT

LESSON TEXT—John 14:17; Romans 8:12-17, 26, 27.
GOLDEN TEXT—For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Our Unseen Helper.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Our Unseen Helper.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How the Holy Spirit Helps Us.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Work of the Holy Spirit.

I. The Personality of the Spirit (John 14:17).
Personality is here implied by the use of the personal pronoun. In the original Scriptures personal pronouns are used uniformly in speaking of the Spirit. Then, too, He is called the Comforter. The word "comforter" literally means one called to stand by the side of another as a helper, counselor and guide. While Jesus sojourning in the world He was such to His disciples. He assumed men's bodies His withdrawal the Holy Spirit would take His place as friend, helper and counselor. The personality of the Spirit is also proved by the fact that He performs acts only possible to persons. In John 14:26 He performs the function of a teacher. He not only teaches, but He speaks as a person, giving direction to the disciples as they act toward Him as they could act only toward a person. In Isaiah 63:10 the prophet declared that men vexed the Holy Spirit. It would be manifestly improper to speak of vexing an influence; only a person can be vexed. In Matthew 12:31 Jesus speaks of men blaspheming against the Holy Spirit. It would be impossible to blaspheme against an influence. In Ephesians 4:30 Paul speaks of grieving the Spirit. Again, it would be manifestly improper to speak of grieving an influence. Further, in 1 Corinthians 12:11 Paul speaks of the Holy Spirit exercising the function of will. One of the essential characteristics of personality is that of volition. The Holy Spirit is represented as divine. He has the attributes of deity. In Psalm 139:7-9 He is declared to be omnipresent. In 1 Corinthians 2:9-11 He is omniscient. He also performs the works of God. He is the creator and renewer (Pa. 104:30). He is called God in Acts 5:3-4, and 11 Corinthians 3:18.

II. How Believers are Related to the Holy Spirit. They are regenerated by Him (John 3:5-8); they are indwelt by Him (1 Cor. 6:19 Gal 4:6). He also fills (Eph. 5:18 and Acts 3:31). To be filled with the Holy Spirit is the duty of every believer. No one has the right to perform any work for Christ without this filling (Luke 24:48; Acts 1:8). Even the temperamental of the church should be in the hands of Spirit-filled men (Acts 6:1-3).

III. What the Holy Spirit Does (John 16:11).
1. Convicts the world of sin (v. 8). The one awful sin of the world is unbelief. The Holy Spirit convicts the people of the world of their error concerning sin and shows their guilt before God.
2. He convicts the world of righteousness (v. 10).
The resurrection and ascension of Christ prove that He is the Righteous One, and that righteousness is only possible as He is accepted as Savior.
3. He convicts the world of judgment.
To be convinced of the reality of judgment is the crying need of the world today. Sin unthought for shall be punished. The sinner who refuses the righteousness which God provided in Jesus Christ also shall be judged.
4. The Spirit mortifies the deeds of the flesh (Rom. 8:12, 13).
The only way to get the victory over our carnal natures is to give the place of rulership to the Holy Spirit.
5. He leads the believer (v. 14).
The Spirit-filled believer lives the life of the Son of God.
6. He gives assurance to the believer (Rom. 8:15-17).
The Holy Spirit witnesses together with the human spirit to the reality of the new birth.
7. He enables the believer to pray according to the will of God (Rom. 8:26, 27).
While the believer does not know how to pray as he ought, the Holy Spirit helpeth his infirmity. All prayer which the Holy Spirit lodges the Heavenly Father answers.

Partner of the Lord

Every young man and woman should be a junior partner with the Lord Jesus for the salvation of the world.—Jacob Chamberlain.

A Ruined Day

The whole day may be ruined by an impatient word, a prejudiced judgment, a hasty decision, a fit of uncontrolled temper.—J. C. Massee.

All Prayers Not Answered

I have lived long enough to thank God that all my prayers were not answered.—Jenn Grayson.

Battle Won by Prayer

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EDITED BY Mrs. Viola P. Jones

Owing to a new arrangement with the company which prints the By-stander, it has been impossible to get the paper printed until Friday night...

The Junior Business Builders contest closed at the McHassie Drug store 400 6th Ave. Jan. 18. Those of our group participating in the contest were Kermit Wilson, finishing 18th place and receiving a very nice flashlight and Mary Jane Asbury, finishing 19th place and receiving a beautiful manicure set.

The Union Board meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Sapphonia Bates Jan. 25. The train of damnation was demonstrated. After a brief speaking meeting, business was taken up. The 2nd Union Missionary sermon was held the following Sunday, Jan. 27. G. W. White of Perry, Ia. delivered the sermon. His subject was Womanhood. After the sermon the Board of officers. The next sermon will be held Feb. 10th at Kyles Temple. Mrs. G. T. Fant, president; Mrs. Clara Houston, program committee.

The A. C. R. club met at the home of the vice president, Mrs. Fannie Tomlin on Thursday evening, Jan. 24. The A. C. R. club will meet Jan. 31 at the home of Mrs. Lee on 14th St. The club is doing nicely.

Mrs. Mildred Dobson and little daughter, Betty of Maywood, Ill., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Griffin as Mr. Griffin was seriously ill. Mr. Griffin is now somewhat improved. Mrs. Dobson left Saturday night for her home.

Mrs. A. L. Cranshaw at 612 S. E. 4th St. has been confined to her bed since last Wednesday. Her daughter, Mable arrived here from Chicago and will continue to stay during her mother's illness.

Tom Mayberry is wearing a smile and says it is the result of the visit of his baby girl to the Mayberrys home on the 21st, leaving a 9 1/2 pound baby girl. Everything is hot and toasty now.

OBITUARY

Mr. William Toler, 733 S. E. 27th Court, a resident of this city for more than 20 years passed away at the Broadview General Hospital Jan. 2 at the age of 66 years. He had been in poor health for more than five years. He was a member of C. M. E. church 28th and Scott St. Funeral services were held at L. Fowler & Son funeral home Jan. 29, 1929. Rev. H. L. Wilson officiated. Cedar Grove Lodge No. 18 Masonic of Haydock, Ia. had charge of the remains. Bro. Leonard Walker, Worshipful Master of Cedar Grove Lodge gave brief remarks. Brothers Joe Brown, H. Wright, F. Topson, C. C. Johnson, Wm. Rhodes, Ike Johnson, S. R. and other members of Doric Lodge and North Star Lodge were out. Rev. Geo. W. Williams of St. Paul church and Rev. J. W. Fant of Bethel A. M. E. church attended the services. Interment at Glendale cemetery. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Mary Toler, one sister, Mrs. Darlie Mathews and ten children. We will miss our dear husband and father, but the Lord knows best.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown during the illness and death of our husband and father, Mr. William Toler, and Rev. H. L. Wilson, Rev. Geo. W. Williams for their wonderful remarks. We wish to thank also Cedar Grove Lodge No. 18, Doric Lodge No. 30 and North Star lodge for their wonderful turnout and services given, and L. Fowler and Son for their untiring services rendered.

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We the undersigned wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their beautiful floral offering and their kindness during the death and illness of our husband and father, Mr. William Toler, and Rev. H. L. Wilson, Rev. Geo. W. Williams for their services rendered. Mr. Art Bennett, Mrs. May Bennett.

The home of Miss Agnes Drew, 222 Sheridan Avenue, was opened to the T. O. B. Club and its pledges, Saturday, Jan. 26, to a pajama party. At midnight a Dutch luncheon was served by Miss Hazel Glass, a pledge. Entertainment was furnished by Ethel Blagburn in her own way and radio music. Games were played until the wee hours of the morning when the sandman arrived. At 6:30 Sunday morning they departed for their respective homes wondering when they will make 'whooper' again.

Mrs. J. P. Jones, 1235 Stewart St. entertained Mrs. Pearl May of Chicago, Ill., with a dinner Jan. 16. Cover was laid for eight.

The T. O. B. club met with Mrs. Adelaide Bowman Friday, Jan. 26. After a delightful apart the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Ethel Blagburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Marian Carter, 1705 Pleasant St. wishes to announce the arrival of a baby boy Jan. 22. The mother and babe are doing nicely.

Notice Of Meeting

All members of Hawkeye Lodge No. 160. Elks are urged to be present on next meeting night, Feb. 6th. The New Mutual Burial Fund will become operative on that date, and each member is urged to be present and hear the new plan explained. Geo. H. Edmunds, Secy.

THE RISING RACE

Viola P. Jones Up, up they come! From bondage and from chains, From out the white-tipped cotton fields We hear their moans and wails.

Up, up they come! From ignorance and from shame, With bleeding backs, on bended knees They praise the Master's name.

Up, up they come! Though leaving in their wake A million heartaches, sighs and tears, A burning at the stake.

Up, up they come! Facing the rising sun, To toil and labor while 'tis day Until their work is done.

Up, up they come! To find their proper place Where men are men who till the soil Regardless of their race.

Crocker Street Y Notes

The Sunday afternoon program for February 3 will be in charge of Miss Hortense Woods of the St. Paul A. M. E. church choir. She will present the following program at 3:30 p. m.; Vocals solo, W. C. Brown; dramatic reading, W. H. London; Zylaphone solo, Lauren Butler; vocal solo, Mrs. E. P. Jackson; reading, Wm. Eaves and a number of selections by the Melody maids. Dr. Charles S. Medbury of the University Church of Christ will be the principal speaker on the city wide Race Relations Day program given annually by the Crocker St. Y. M. C. A. The program this year will be given at the St. Paul A. M. E. church February 10 at 3 p. m. Another feature on the program will be a musical rendition by the North High symphony orchestra composed of 60 pieces. Everyone is requested to come and bring a friend. The strong basketball team of the Corinthian Sunday School sent into first place by defeating the star team from St. Paul by 22-19 score last Friday evening at West High school gymnasium. The Maple St. Basketball team ran rough shod over the Burns M. E. champions by 19-9 score. The standing follows: Corinthian Baptist won 3 lost 0, percent 1000. Maple St. Baptist won 1 and lost 2, percent 333. St. Paul A. M. E. won 1 lost 1, percent 333. Burns M. E. won 1, lost 2, percent 333. Every Friday night at the West High gymnasium these teams compete against each other. Come out and cheer for your favorite team. Served Saturday and Sunday Nights MRS. E. G. McGEE 1431 Maryland Wal. 7693-W

The S. M. N. Social Worker's club will meet the 2nd week in Feb. at the home of Mrs. E. M. Mackey, 1022 St. At this time Mrs. N. C. Marshall will talk to the ladies on a very beneficial subject. Mrs. E. L. Dimitry will demonstrate her leathercraft and all members are asked to be present. Mrs. Sophie Nichols, president. Essie Davis, secretary.

The Present Help in Time of Need club will meet next Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Maggie McCan, 1519 Illinois St. Everyone is invited to attend.

Rev. S. Bates, pastor of Maple St. Baptist church has been ill for the past two weeks at his residence, 1318 Stewart St.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper has been ill at her home, 1328 Maine St. for the past week.

The Present Help in Time of Need club of Maple St. Baptist church will have a chattering supper Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs. Rosa Allen, 1210 Center St. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

In sweet loving remembrance of our darling mother, Margaret Rhodes, who passed away three years ago, Jan. 31, 1926. A shadow fell across our lives And death, the reaper came And took our darling mother away From earthly cares and pain. But when the mist has passed away We'll meet you some sweet day. She is sadly missed by her children, the Rhodes family.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

Miss Estveta R. Franklin left Tuesday for New York City, arriving there Wednesday and sailing Thursday on the Cooms for Caynos, Porto Rico where she will spend two months. Mrs. N. D. Foster is a patient in Ottumwa hospital. Mr. McDuffy of Minneapolis, Minn., was called there to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. Montgomery. A union prayer meeting was held Wednesday night between the three Baptist churches of the city. Rev. J. W. Tutt, first speaker of the evening delivered a wonderful lecture followed by two pastors of the white churches. Music was rendered by a quartette of five from the Second Baptist church. Mrs. Dela Hoorn gave a graduation party in the honor of her son, Mr. Billy Hoorn who graduated from eight grade to high school. Other graduates are as follows: Miss Alice Beverly, Miss Billy Organ, Mr. George Jackson. Miss Loretta Foster is on the sick list. Mr. H. D. Green is on a private train with the superintendent of the C. B. and Q. railroad. Church meeting will be held Friday night.

Second Baptist Church Reports Finances

Receipts of \$2,311.64 and expense of \$298.80 during the past year are conditions of the Second Baptist church announced last week by Mrs. Tina C. Davis, church clerk and the Rev. J. W. Tutt, pastor. The amount brought forward is \$102.22 leaving a balance of \$118.05. The membership roll shows 44 men and 67 women. Next week will be Negro History Week. Community Service is very anxious to have this event appropriately observed. To that end, each

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As I am certain many worthy people throughout the country have had the same sad experience that befell me about 16 years ago, I felt it my duty to make public certain facts in their behalf. For 16 years I labored under the impression that I would eventually go blind, as my eyesight was gradually leaving me. Consulting some of the best doctors in both Sweden and Germany, but their treatments afforded nothing. Since then I was fitted with glasses by one of the most noted eye specialists in this country, but with each change of glasses, but the glasses brought on headaches which was so unbearable that I could not stand the light and often had to give up work altogether. For 3 years I had to use a strong hand magnifying glass in order to read ordinary newspaper print. Two years ago I received through the mail a circular published by Lew Arntz, Doctor of Optics. In looking through it I saw several testimonials from people I knew who had been afflicted as I was and whose vision had been restored by using special ground glasses prescribed by Lew Arntz. At once went to find him to have my eyes tested. He informed me I had a bad case of astigmatism which he assured me could be relieved by the use of properly fitted glasses. I could not help but laugh at that assertion and looked upon it as only trade talk, as I should have been well pleased that time if only half vision could have been brought out, as I had previously consulted and had my eyes examined by some very noted specialists who informed me that my sight would never be perfect and I was seemingly gradually going blind, but in the hope that Lew Arntz could help me, I ordered the glasses and to my surprise, when I first put them on, vision was at once fully restored. I could discern small objects which I had not seen for years, read the finest print perfectly and I could see clearly at a distance without any inconvenience with the same glasses. This is now over 2 years ago and in that time I have almost been entirely free from headaches. I think Lew Arntz is a man of great abilities, an optician who does more good for eyesight sufferers than any other man in the state of Iowa. Respectfully, C. J. HEDLUND, 742 E. Vine St.

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Harris of Label, Mo. ... by the congregation to pas- ... Second Baptist church. He held his first service Sunday. Mr. McPhail after spending several weeks in the St. Joseph, Mo. hospital returned home Friday morning. Entertainment given by pastors Aid which was in charge of Mrs. Bettie Bannister and Mrs. Anna Ellis Friday night was successful. Those on the sick list are Mrs. Maggie Ewing, Mrs. Willie Moore, Mrs. Sallie Rudd, Mrs. Anna Ellis, Mrs. Ida Walden. Our second quarterly meeting for this conference year will be held Sunday, Feb. 3. Rev. Van Shults of Burlington. Mrs. Grant of Quincy, Ill., is in the city the guest of Mrs. D. W. Brown, 1228 38th St., for a few days. Bethel A. M. E. Sunday School held their election of officers for the year. Mr. Tee Johnson, supt.; Miss Margie Woods, secretary; Miss Winnie McPhail, asst. sec.; Mrs. Cora Payton, treasurer; Madeline Anderson, librarian; Ethel Mae Brown, asst. librarian; Burnice Flood, chorister; Mrs. Lucy King, organist; Albert Mae Jones, asst. organist. Mrs. Clara Harris and daughter, Waynett and Mr. Balward of St. Louis, Mo. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harper and daughter, Mrs. Edna Hughes, 225 Ave. D. Mr. Wm Oney, R. W. Grand Custodian United Grand Lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Mason for the state of Iowa and jurisdiction, made his official visit to the Corinthian Lodge No. 43 Saturday night. While in the city he was the guest of Mr. Clark, W. M. If you have any news for the Bystander, Phone 579-G. Mrs. Eller Lee Johnson, 520 2nd St. after spending several weeks in Missouri visiting her mother and father, returned home Saturday night under the care of the doctor.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

On Saturday afternoon a group of girls met at the home of Mrs. Hiro Nichols for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club. Officers in the new club are president, Lulu Mae Hall; vice-president, Arlene Page; secretary, Juanita Hawkins; treasurer, Mrs. Nichols; club historian and reporter, Mignon Frakal; Mr. William Anderson and Miss Rosa Caldwell were united in marriage Thursday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Wright, 2744 8th Ave. left the middle of the week for their vacation in Los Angeles, Cal. Those on the sick list: Mr. Wm. Floyd, 8th Ave.; Mr. Sam Crenshaw who is undergoing treatment in Oakdale Sanitarium; Mrs. Mrs. Fannie Harris at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Groms on 23rd Ave.; Miss Alice Akers, 8th Ave.; mother and father Perkins on W. Broadway and Mr. David Bottoms on 24th Ave. Those sick in the hospital are Mrs. Alonzo Anderson and Mrs. Lola Pearl. Mr. and Mrs. Fenaldson of 1313 6th Ave. are the proud parents of a fine baby girl Mrs. Fenaldson before her marriage was Mrs. Eva Besse. The memorial services held for Rev. and Mrs. Jackson at Tabernacle Baptist church Sunday afternoon, Jan. 27 was under the auspices of the Union Missionary society. A wonderful program was rendered after which the minutes of the first meeting of the Union Missionary Society of which Mrs. Jackson was founder were read by the secretary, Mrs. Christine Althouse. A mass meeting of the citizens of Council Bluffs will be held at Tabernacle Baptist church, 14th & Ave. on Monday night. Those authorized to solicit in Council Bluffs are Mrs. Louis Carbens, 712 12th Ave., Mrs. Sarah Wright, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Christine Althouse, 2538 4th Ave. and Mrs. Hiro Nichols, 629 Ave. B. The Virginia Newman Mite Missionary society of Bethel A. M. E. church met at the residence of Mrs. Virgie Nevins on 25th St. Thursday afternoon. The Phyllis Wheatley Reading circle met at the home of Mrs. Sara Johnson of 2547 4th Ave. Thursday. The next meeting will be the first Thursday in February at the residence of Mrs. Mary Jones. There will be a concert at Bethel church featuring the High school home talent, after which a chattering supper will be served. February 10, Founder's Day, will be observed. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fox, 1108 7th St. entertained at a radio party Saturday evening.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON SPEAKS AT NEW SYNAGOGUE, NEW YORK CITY

Address to be Broadcast. President Mordecai W. Johnson of Howard University will speak for Rabbi Wise at the New Synagogue in New York City on Sunday, February 3, at three p. m. The address is to be broadcast over the National Broadcasting System and associated stations, including WEAJ, New York City; WRG, Buffalo, N. Y.; WTU, Hartford, Connecticut; WJAR, Providence, R. I.; WRC, Washington, D. C.; WSAI, Cincinnati, Ohio; WHO, Des Moines, Iowa. Rabbi Wise was commencement speaker at Howard University, last June.

MINERS BURIED IN WEST VIRGINIA ... Pittsburgh, Jan., (CNS)— ... were burned seriously and ... that many are trapped, as ... of an explosion in the ... shaft of the Continental Coal Company, a report from Fairmont, West Virginia, said tonight. The headquarters of the Bureau of Mines here had announced that 300 men were trapped in the mine. Large numbers of Negro miners are employed at this mine.

(Crusader News Service) Chicago, Jan.—Bullets flew in Michigan Avenue, endangering pedestrians today while bank employees and three Negro bandits shot out a battle in the Franklin Trust and Savings Bank soon after noon. Martin French, a Negro bank guard, aged 76, was fatally wounded and Edgar F. Olson, cashier, and Leo Pequette, assistant cashier, were slightly wounded. The robbers escaped with \$2,000. One of their number was believed to have been wounded. The Chicago and Cook County Bankers' Association in a vicious appeal to public irresponsibility has offered a reward of \$1,000 for a live bandit and \$2,500 for a dead bandit.

Guard Opened Fire Three robbers entered the bank with a dramatic waving of revolvers and shotguns and ordered everybody to put up their hands. French, for forty years on the Chicago police force, who was standing near the Michigan Avenue door just behind a counter, answered with a burst of fire from his revolver. One of the bandits immediately fell wounded in the abdomen. At the same time another robber ran to the east side of the building and vaulted over the top of a cage in which W. C. Jahn, a teller, was counting a stack of bills. Pointing his gun through the rear of the cage, he ordered Jahn to open the door, Jahn complied. The bandit rushed in and scooped up the money.

Meanwhile, the bank resounded to a fusillade of shots. Olson and Pequette, crouching behind their desks, opened fire on two robbers, who stood in the middle of the bank floor, firing volley after volley and edging close to the wall for shelter. Watching the spectacle, appalled, stood half a dozen customers and five girl employes. Some bullets pierced the Michigan Avenue window and others embedded themselves in the ceiling and walls. Four of the girl clerks fainted.

Dr. Robert McEwen, a dentist with offices above the bank, and an eyewitness to the escape, thought one of the robbers was wounded. French died after being taken to a hospital.

N. A. A. C. P. INVESTIGATOR AT-TENDS CHICAGO SEGREGATION MEETING

New York, Jan. 24—Full details of a meeting recently held by white citizens of the Englewood section in Chicago, to extend a segregation program against colored people, are given in the report of an investigator who attended the meeting, being light enough to pass as a white man.

"Among the speakers," says the report to the N. A. A. C. P., "was a man named Carroll; who said he represented the Chicago Real Estate Board, a noble organization he termed it, on which was therefore one hundred per cent in sympathy with the segregation movement. Carroll opened his address by saying that since bombing had failed to accomplish its purpose (one Negro in the city had been bombed six times without moving him from his home) the Corrigan-Curtis decision in Washington in 1926 was a godsend to the suffering Nordics of Chicago, since it legalized restriction by covenant. (Note: The Supreme Court has not passed on the validity of such covenants.)"

Original Custom ... the old English custom of pursuing "with voice" from township to township, and county to county all home-ers and felons. The pursuit of a felon was aided by a description of him in the Hue and Cry, a publication established for advertising felons in England in 1710.

Originals of Names Old Glasgow, the second city of the British empire today, obtained its name from two Celtic words, "glas," meaning green, and "ghu," meaning dear—dear green place. Dublin came from "Dubh," meaning black, and "inna," meaning pool. Rutland is a corruption of Redlands.

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.

Hoover's Americanism Mr. Hoover not only is American in every fiber, but he is one of those who know and can tell why he is an American. Any whose conceptions of patriotism tempt them to question his mental status reasonably may be asked to look into their own minds and see if they are equally prepared to tell why they are Americans.—Euf. Jato News 7:14-23.

All evil thinking and practice spring out of the heart of man. The heart stands for the very center and foundation of the personality. The reason men think vile thoughts is because of their vile nature, which is the result of original sin. V. The Sins of Believers (1 John 1:5-2:3). 1. How perceived (v. 5). God is here declared to be light. Therefore sin is perceived through the glorious light of the Divine being. No one can see God without seeing himself a vile sinner. To claim fellowship with God while walking in darkness is the lie of life. 2. The Divine remedy for sin (v. 7). It is the blood of Jesus Christ. Without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sin. 3. The believer's responsibility (v. 9). It is to confess his sin. It is only when we are conscious of our sins in the light of God that we are disposed to make confession of them. 4. God grants forgiveness and cleansing (vv. 9, 10). Because of His provision in the atonement of Jesus Christ, God is able on the basis of justice to forgive the sinner who confesses his sin. Because of His faithfulness in dealing with His children on the basis of the finished work of Christ, He not only forgives, but He cleanses them from all sin. 5. Christ the believer's advocate (2:1, 2). For believers to sin is not necessary, but the advocate who champions his cause in case of sin is the Lord Jesus Christ Himself, who on Calvary's cross made a propitiation for his sin. 6. Christ's followers obey Him (v. 5). Those who have experienced God's saving grace render obedience to His Word.

The Love of Christ A stream can rise no higher than its source. It takes the love of Christ coming into a man's heart to raise him above himself, sweep away the sins he cannot conquer, and fill him with peace and power.

Wealth Wealth is a weak anchor and glory cannot support a man; this is the law of God, that virtue only is firm and cannot be shaken by a tempest.—Pythagoras.

Spend Time With God It is the failure to spend a definite, even though it be short, time each day with God that is the secret of all weakness, spiritual barrenness, and shallowness in our virginal experience and service.

Man Alone Able to Think Of all God's creatures man alone is able to think immortally. What Darwin called "the grand instinct" has survived far countless across the shock of bodily death.—Dr. S. P. Cadman.

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Harris of Labell, Mo. ... Second Baptist church. Mr. McPhail after spending several weeks in the St. Joseph, Mo. hospital returned home Friday morning. Entertainment given by pastors Aid which was in charge of Mrs. Bettie Bannister and Mrs. Anna Ellis Friday night was successful. Those on the sick list are Mrs. Maggie Ewing, Mrs. Willie Moore, Mrs. Sallie Rudd, Mrs. Anna Ellis, Mrs. Ida Walden. Our second quarterly meeting for this conference year will be held Sunday, Feb. 3. Rev. Van Shelto of Burlington. Mrs. Grant of Quincy, Ill., is in the city the guest of Mrs. D. W. Brown, 1228 33rd St., for a few days. Bethel A. M. E. Sunday School held their election of officers for the year. Mr. Tee Johnson, supt.; Miss Margie Woods, secretary; Miss Winnie McPhail, asst. sec.; Mrs. Cora Payton, treasurer; Madeline Anderson, librarian; Ethel Mae Brown, asst. librarian; Burnice Flood, chorister; Mrs. Lucy King, organist; Albert Mae Jones, asst. organist. Mrs. Clara Harris and daughter, Wayne and Mr. Balward of St. Louis, Mo. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harper and daughter, Mrs. Edna Hughes, 225 Ave. D. Mr. Wm. Ony, R. W. Grand Custodian United Grand Lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Mason for the state of Iowa and jurisdiction, made his official visit to the Corinthian Lodge No. 43, Saturday night. While in the city he was the guest of Mr. Clark, W. M. If you have any news for the Bystander, phone 570-G. Mrs. Eller Lee Johnson, 520 2nd St. after spending several weeks in Missouri visiting her mother and father, returned home Saturday night under the care of the doctor.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

On Saturday afternoon a group of girls met at the home of Mrs. Hiro Nichols for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club. Officers in the new club are president, Lulu Mae Hall; vice-president, Artense Page; secretary, Juanita Hawkins; treasurer, Mrs. Nichols; club historian and reporter, Mignon Frakal. Mr. William Anderson and Miss Rosa Caldwell were united in marriage Thursday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Wright, 2744 8th Ave. left the middle of the week for their vacation in Los Angeles, Cal. Those on the sick list: Mr. Wm. Floyd, 8th Ave.; Mr. Sam Orenshaw who is undergoing treatments in Oakdale Sanitarium; Mrs. Mrs. Fannie Harris at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grooms on 23rd Ave.; Miss Alice Akers, 8th Ave.; mother and father Perkins on W. Broadway and Dr. David Bottoms on 24th Ave. Those sick in the hospital are Mrs. Alonzo Anderson and Mrs. Lola Pearl. Mr. and Mrs. Fenaldson of 1313 6th Ave. are the proud parents of a fine baby girl Mrs. Fenaldson before her marriage was Mrs. Eva Besse. The memorial services held for Rev. and Mrs. Jackson at Tabernacle Baptist church Sunday afternoon, Jan. 27 was under the auspices of the Union Missionary society. A wonderful program was rendered after which the minutes of the first meeting of the Union Missionary Society of which Mrs. Jackson was founder were read by the secretary, Mrs. Christine Althouse. A mass meeting of the citizens of Council Bluffs will be held at Tabernacle Baptist church, 14th & Ave. on Monday night. Those authorized to solicit in Council Bluffs are Mrs. Louis Carbons, 712 12th Ave., Mrs. Sarah Wright, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Christine Althouse, 2538 4th Ave. and Mrs. Hiro Nichols, 629 Ave. B. The Virginia Newman Mite Missionary society of Bethel A. M. E. church met at the residence of Mrs. Virginia Nevins on 25th St. Thursday afternoon. The Phyllis Wheatley Reading circle met at the home of Mrs. Sara Johnson of 2547 4th Ave. Thursday. The next meeting will be the first Thursday in February at the residence of Mrs. Mary Jones. There will be a concert at Bethel church featuring the High school home talent, after which a chattering supper will be served. February 10, Founder's Day, will be observed. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fox, 1108 7th St. entertained at a radio party Saturday evening.

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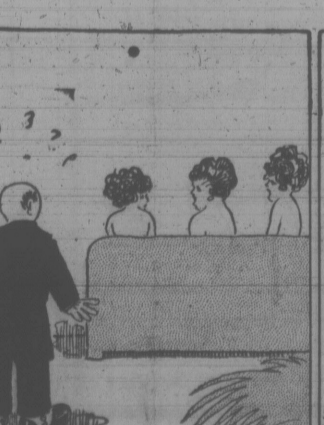
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THE GEEVUM GIRLS.



Publ Inter Colo VOL XXXVII S. The O There is a p contest between Last week rep quartets met arrange the tails. It agreed that contest should held at St. I A. M. E. ch on the Feb. 19 and THREE WH PEOPLE SH judge the con I can think rds posterous than arranging a con only white pe adge it. Will been to Tuske Negro melodies ing to kill the heard trying to agree. White Negro melodies that Des Moines have four quar melodies and of ing in white fo If a list of p submitted and white judges then judge the matter of objection to but when a g clearly say the acceptable to of this kind it Bear in mind able for judg white. The sig up "no blacks blame the whit to the rear kind of an estim Surely this gro gent that this community con to judge this matter with trained and her W. J. Shepard, Paul choir." V ville Simmons, Drake Univer years a choir shall, pipe of Baptist church wonderful play best trained N. M. Jones? Mrs. James Winslow G. Giggins a But, said this would be preju them to conter Des Moines. training is di And may I su have that you dishment? A going to be so would die if th pose you were let in Des Mo that matter, just as will? If this ver Moines Negro folks judging I would not co is not. For s the colored St baseball team senting the cl of the arrang never been ab man to umpir hold an orato three judges, a matter of Moines Negro in his own ki