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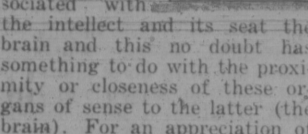
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Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

EARACHE

Earache should direct immediate attention to the ear. The preservation of the sense of hearing demands that this be done. The five senses, namely seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting and feeling are very closely associated with the intellect and its seat the brain and this no doubt has something to do with the proximity or closeness of these organs of sense to the latter (the brain). For an appreciation of life in its different phases it is necessary that these senses be kept intact for it is only by their co-ordination that a proper estimate can be put on the actions and reactions of everyday life. The fact is good judgment of bad will depend upon how these organs of sense cooperate (provided of course the brain itself is in good shape). The loss of one of the sense organs always inflicts a temporary disability and may cause a permanent one but there is a compensation in that one of the other sense organs takes over the work of the one which has been lost making the disability in most cases (as I have said) only temporary. Consequently when sight is lost completely the eye must increase its alertness and acuteness in order to discern from take the place of what was distinguished before by observing hearing becomes more acute, words and accent take on a different meaning and sound must be detected by listening. If the sense sense the ear is closest to the movement. When hearing is lost to the brain producing an abyss there. It is hardly necessary to give such information to or otherwise.



leaded may readily find its way. Aside from that, earache means that there is pus behind the ear organ to determine if it is sound adults but adults should know children are crying from such a cause and they should have the benefit of an inspection of this a new regimen is never easy, brain and pus inside if not re- that many many times small membrane. Of all the organs of in a great majority of the cases

THE NATIONAL BENEFIT REPORT

The National Benefit Life Insurance Company of Washington, D. C., has issued its report for 1928. It appeared in the columns of this paper last week and again this week. We cite you to the ad on this page so you may scan the figures. They are wonderful. They represent much.

Back of them lie thirty years of hard work, integrity, sacrifice and service to the constituents. In the present they represent protection to the policyholders, returns for the stockholders, employment for qualified Negro boys and girls and a monument to which young Negroes may point for a mark to attain in the future.

The company and its officers should be congratulated. They have accomplished miracles. Here's hopes that 1929 may be even better.

MADONNA RADIOS

New York City

Dear Friends:

I just came from Madison Square Garden, the largest show palace in the world, where I saw the biggest circus—Ringling Bros. What a time I had feeding the elephants and monkeys peanuts. Before I go any further I must tell you who was in the gang. Mrs. Dorothy Bates (of Black Birds), Mrs. Chas. Collins, my landlady and Mr. John Mobley, bass singer with Showboat. We were the guest of Mr. Howard Howell, leading cornet player with the side show band under the leadership of the famous P. G. Lowery.

In the side show we saw all of the strange people from all parts of the world. I enjoyed the animals very much especially the little fellows that looked so human.

Mr. Havell introduced us to the heads of different departments in the dressing rooms and we watched them get ready for the grand entry which is the big parade just before the show starts. While there the whistle blew or each one to get in places so we entered the main hall.

I really can't tell you the thrill seeing that sixty piece band leading in their bright green uniforms, the beautiful snow white horses and the girls with gorgeous costumes. Our seats were reserved right in the center and we saw and heard everything. The big show was quite entertaining and I

NEGRO IN AMERICA

By J. G. Browne

"Hearts in Dixie," a talking picture the whole cast with but one exception being colored actors, shows the opening of a verdant field for Negro artists. It is very noticeable that the Negro voice is very adaptable to the microphone. In ordinary conversation his voice is audible and has a great carrying quality.

The film is a wonderful artistic combination of melody, comedy and drama. In this picture there is nothing committed that pertains to the life of the Negro yet nothing is overdrawn. His labors and struggles, his joys and tears, his joys and tears are presented in such a way that no slight of condition has time to part of a coming economic meliorism is as suggested from the opening chorus "Gone with the Wind" to "Columbia," the closing score which leaves you longing and wishing for more. The natural tone of the voices in "Gone with the Wind" and "Columbia" are back to Old Virginia. The music and the tones of an organ. You perhaps have heard these songs many times, but the impressions made upon you by their rendition in this picture are beyond description.

There are a few of our world be intelligent who pretend to find fault with the impugned malicious motive in the production of such a film. They do not know the setting of the story, are not aware of the fact that the historical background of the play is that period immediately following the Civil War. Gummy, the slaved, was a conspicuous personage at that time because of the only conception that many of the freed men had of emancipation was that they did not have to work because there was no one to make the traditions of the past. "We rise to higher things on stepping stones of our dead selves".

Officer's Dignity Cut No Figure With Pat

A young man who had spent three years at different "M. T. U's" was reminiscing. He told several of his experiences in the camps and wound up by relating the following:

"We were all ordered to death-of-an-officer that first day in camp, but not so with 'Pat,' whose name, by the way was Abraham Levinski. The general rode up on his horse to observe the procedure of our being mobilized into service. On his appearance officers snapped to attention and we remained motionless until the general gave the customary 'At Ease'."

"Pat" stepped out of line with a camera in his hand and took the general's horse by the bridle and turned it around. The horse shied back and "Pat" turned it around again. Then he stepped off about ten paces, and with much deliberation focused the camera on the puzzled officer.

"Now, smile," "Pat" soothingly requested, while the company broke in to a roar, joined by the general on the horse."

A Land of Faery

A most marvelous sunset this evening, outside the Bab Diddid. The vast plain in its arid desolation gave the impression of a desert, flooded with the gold light of the level sun. The clouds hung over the mauve mountains of Trozza and Serdj, impregnated with purple and rimmed with bright gold. It was a land of faery, dissolving under the enchantment of the sun, whose power drew forth such fantasies in blue, red, green and yellow. Behind us lay the walls of the city, in the rays light of evening, which fell upon towers and cupolas. Then in the still air, as the world faded under an emerald sky came the clear yodeling of the muezzin calling the faithful to prayer, with through the gates the shepherds slowly led in their flocks.—From the Diary of Russell Beraford.

Inventions by Women

One woman had the idea to make silver forks and spoons with a curving handle, which prevented their slipping into the plate, such a good idea that it is strange no one ever thought of it before. The traveler who finds his portable desk a joy has a woman to thank for the invention. A lock fastener for metal containers is an invention in practical demand for hotel storerooms and an important safety device. The same woman invented also a handy needle threader to use on sewing machines.

Love of Open Inherent

The impulse to get into the open is primitive in us. We love the breath of the spaces not cluttered with houses and rank with the odors of civilized life. Under the stars and the moon we can think clean thoughts. From the busy fields we can drink inspirations unknown to the office and the counting house. In the song of the winds we may hear the cradles of our infancy or the strange melodies which thus come, strange and alone, to the individual soul.—Kansas City Times.

Gentle Hint

A Los Angeles sportsman returning from a fishing trip to another county reports finding the following proclamation tacked to a tree:

"Notus
"Trespassers
"Trespassers on this here property will be prosecuted to the full extent of two dogs that ain't overkindly disposed to strangers, and double barrel shotgun which is pointed at you."
"I'm gettin'—tired of ya."

Remove Wet Garments

All of us at some time or other get caught in a rainstorm, fall into water, get our feet wet in rainy weather, etc. These occasional "soakings" are harmless, if the right thing is done afterward. Dr. R. S. Copeland says getting wet does no more harm than taking a bath, if you do not stay in the wet garments. This, he points out, is particularly true of wet shoes. His advice is: Don't stay in wet garments. Get out of them into dry clothing. If you feel chilled after exposure, it is important to restore the circulation. The best way to do that is to take a good hot bath and go to bed.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Sweetness Found in Life's Little Things

It is as great a mistake to expect too little of life as to expect too much. No one is immune from trouble and no one has a monopoly of it, even if self-pity—a most insidious form of mental indolence—sometimes appears to suggest it.

So many of the sweetest things of life come almost unnoticed. We took forward, says the London Chronicle, all the year to our holidays, but often despise the hours of leisure which, perhaps, are really more important to our well-being.

Retrospection will sometimes make clear how much quiet pleasure a single day has brought—a letter by the morning's post, a word of encouragement which has formed an undertone of harmony to the melody of toil, a child's gratitude for some trifle, even the welcome of our dog "with the soul in the shining eyes of him."

There are, of course, days when duties pall, when friends seem to fall us, when we grow weary of ourselves. There are times of disappointment and bitter sorrow. Yet, on the whole, it is a glad truth that—

In small measures life may perfect be

Bread From Peanuts

If the general public were educated to the great value of peanuts as a food for human beings, the farmer in the South could grow more with profit," an expert of the Department of Agriculture declares. "A bread made of a mixture of 25 parts peanut flour and 75 parts wheat flour is a very nutritious and palatable food. In experimental feeding of rats, the bean found that the rate of growth of animals fed on peanut bread was much greater than that of animals on a diet of whole wheat bread."

Waltz Shown to Be Akin to Wallowing

Would you ever suspect that there was any relation between walling in a bathroom and wallowing in a mire? There is, however, for waltz is distinctly related to the Anglo-Saxon word waler, the basic meaning of which is to roll. Waltz itself is German, where again the basic meaning is to roll. In an encyclopedia of 1882 this was noted about the waltz: "Those manifold turnings and gesticulations which have lately become fashionable in this country (England) under the appellation of German waltz (for father, waltzen)." Waltz may have come according to some authorities, from the same source as walt or walt, the turning in horse-manship or fencing. This sense of the word is also found in volta-face, meaning to face suddenly about.—Dance Magazine.

Harp of Ireland

In the "Gold Room" at Trinity college, Dublin, rests the "Harp of Ireland" that sounded "once through Tara's halls." The story is that "after Brian Boru was killed at the battle of Clontarf, this harp was given to Pope Alexander II. It remained in the Vatican for nearly 500 years, and was given, in 1521, to Henry VIII in recognition of his defense of the Seven Sacraments. Twenty years later Henry VIII gave the harp to the earl of Clanricarde, and it was handed down until it came into the possession of a Limerick antiquary. Archeologists however, say the harp is not older than the fourteenth century.



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To Bertha Adelstein, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 5, A. D. 1928, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 33 and 34, Block 2, Roger's Place, Bloomfield Township, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1928, thereon; that the undersigned Elizabeth D. Witmer 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 said real estate will be issued to her by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Orval Wentz, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 5, A. D. 1928, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots 35 and 36, Block 2, Roger's Place, Bloomfield Township, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1928, thereon; that the undersigned Elizabeth D. Witmer 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 said real estate will be issued to her by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Henry See, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 5, A. D. 1928, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots 24, 25 and 26, Block 14, in Roger's Place, Bloomfield Township, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1928, thereon; that the undersigned Elizabeth D. Witmer 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 said real estate will be issued to her by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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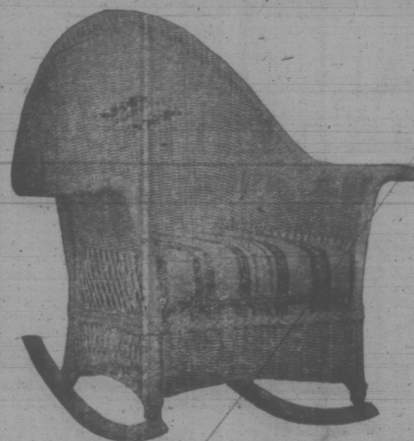
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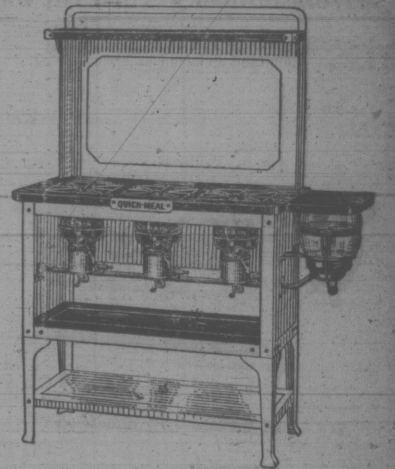
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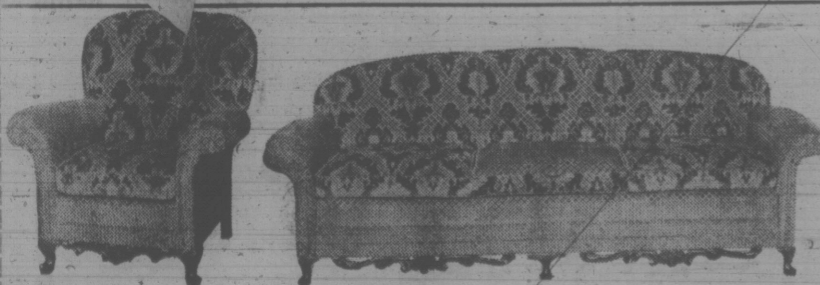


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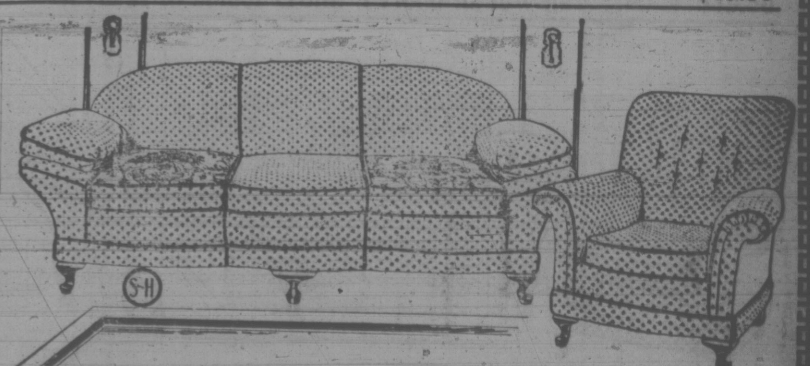
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Miss Lucille Simmons will present a musical program at the Blue-Triangle Y. W. C. A. Sunday, May 5 for the vesper services at 4:30 P. M. A group of her music pupils will be presented. Everyone is invited to attend.

Eli McGee, boiler-maker for the island shops, was seriously injured April 11 and was taken to the Hospital. He is still confined to bed.

WRIGHT AT ST. SIMON'S MISSION SUNDAY

E. M. M. Wright will conduct services at St. Simon's Mission Sunday. The services will be at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Evening prayer at 7:30 p. m. is invited.

Mrs. Ransom Cogswell had her house guest over the week-end. Mrs. Mark Griffith from Des Moines was also entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Fargue, 2524 Forest Drive.

Mrs. Rosa Wilson, 2828 Third St. underwent a serious operation for cancer at the Mercy Hospital. She is much improved now and able to be at home.

The St. Paul Sampson Brooks Mite Missionary society will serve breakfast next Tuesday morning at the church and also a chicken dinner for 35c.

Miss Mary Louise Gibson gave a one-o'clock luncheon April 11 at 125 Stewart. Those to share in the courtesy were Misses Helen Banks, Nellie Green, Helen Davis, Margaret Washington, Louise Patten and Mildred Jackson. The afternoon was spent in games and picture-taking. Miss Gibson left April 13 to make her home in Kansas City, Kansas.

OBITUARY

Mr. Youman Black died April 14 at his home 313 East Locust at the age of 72 years of age. He was a resident of this city for more than 35 years. Funeral services were held Thursday April 18 at the L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home. Rev. S. Bates officiated at the funeral at Glendale cemetery. He leaves to mourn his loss two sons and five grand children.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their beautiful floral offerings and for the courtesies shown during the illness and death of our father also Rev. S. Bates for his wonderful remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their untiring service rendered. Baily Black, Arthur Black.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Doric Lodge No. 30 A. F. & A. M. members and friends and neighbors for their kindly service and expressions of sympathy shown during the bereavement of my husband and father; also Rev. S. Bates for his kind remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their efficient service rendered. Mrs. Matilda Caldwell.

Try your luck on a beautiful luncheon set May 8 at the Community Service. Chances 10c.

Sunday evening, April 28, Mrs. Mary O'Rourke, the general secretary of the Travelers Aid will speak to the Young Peoples Department of Corinthian Baptist church. Her subject will be "At the City's Gates". This program is being sponsored by the Lyceum club of Corinthian. Leticia A. Tywaters, secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Ida Miller and Rev. Robinson for his sympathetic remarks; also Jones Wilson for their efficient service. Robert M. Miller, Claude Frje.

Tuesday, April 16, the Sigma Beta met at the lovely home of Mrs. Ethel Crenshaw. At this meeting the officers for the next six months were elected which are: president, Verna Harness; vice-president, Marie Clark; secretary, Olga Patterson; Asst. sec'y, Verna Spangler; treasurer, Leticia A. Tywaters; Chaplain, Bertha Ashly; Critic, Ethel Crenshaw; chairman program committee, Marie Clark; chairman Social Committee, Mary Ewing. Installation of these officers will be held April 23 at the home of Mrs. Mary Ewing. Mrs. Edmunds will be in charge. Leticia A. Tywaters, reporter.

The Des Moines Branch, N. A. A. C. P. held a meeting at the office of the president on Wednesday evening where plans were made to launch the drive for funds on May 1 at the Blue-Triangle Branch, Y. W. C. A. Mrs. A. A. Alexander and Mr. Harrison Gould will lead the workers in the campaign. The details of the Tom Mayberry Banquet were explained. It will be held at St. Paul church on May 8.

The I. J. R. Art club was entertained on Thursday, April 18, at the home of Mrs. Viola Mays, 1513 Buchanan St. Mrs. Thompson was presented with a birthday gift. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Clara Hillier on East Sixteenth St.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends we wish to thank for their sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our son and brother, Harold Hogsett and of their many beautiful floral offerings; also Rev. G. W. Williams for his kind and sympathetic remarks and Jones Wilson for their efficient services rendered. Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Gossett and family.

The Happy Hour Birthday Club and their regular meeting Thursday April 18. They entertained in honor of Mrs. Esther Nichols, Mrs. Florence Johnson and Mrs. Loretta Dannovona who is visiting here from Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Dannovona is the cousin of Mrs. Florence Johnson, 1019 West Twelfth St.

CROCKER STREET Y. M. C. A.

The annual membership dinner and the election of members to the Committee of Management will be held at the Corinthian Baptist church, Ninth and School Streets, Saturday evening, May 4 at 7 P. M. Anyone will be welcomed to the dinner. Come and bring the family.

Mrs. Leticia Tywater was in charge of the final Sunday Afternoon program for this season last Sunday, April 21. Mr. Chas. T. Ford, State Y. M. C. A. Boys' Work Secretary was the principal speaker of the afternoon. Other participants who appeared were Mrs. Burnice Kelson, Arrel Jett, Lucille Simmons, Margueret Esters and Carl Johnson.

Plans are being perfected by the Religious Work Committee headed by W. W. Jones for the annual city wide picnic held every July 4. Watch the papers for further details.

The Sunday School Council met last Thursday evening at the building and perfected plans for the opening of the baseball season.

The Committee of Management met in its regular monthly meeting at the building last Saturday evening. Reports were given by all standing committees and the executive secretary. Plans were discussed for the annual membership dinner and the election of members to the Committee of Management.

The Sunday School baseball league will start, Tuesday afternoon, April 20 at the West High stadium, 21 and High Streets. The following Sunday Schools will be in the league: Kyle A. M. E. Zion, Burns M. E., Maple Street Baptist, Corinthian Baptist and the St. Paul A. M. E.

The T. O. B. Club met Friday, April 19, with Frances Tomlin on Fifteenth Street. The next meeting will be with Gwendolyn Wilson on Fourteenth Street, Friday, April 26. All members please be present.

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To S. F. Everett, et al. the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 9, A. D. 1925, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 15, Block 4, in Hawthorn Grove, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1924, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, therefor, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Elizabeth D. Witmer. That the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Mary E. Black, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 9, A. D. 1925, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 9, Block 20, Easton Place, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to Frank McKee and assigned to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1925, thereon; that the undersigned Elizabeth D. Witmer 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 issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Otto Knegstom, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 9, A. D. 1925, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot One (1) in Block Two (2) of Stalford and Dixon's Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1924, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, therefor, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Elizabeth D. Witmer. That the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Antonette Wonde, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 1, A. D. 1924, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 24, Block 6, Roger's Place, Bloomfield Township, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to Wayne M. Welnaar and assigned to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1925, thereon; that Elizabeth D. Witmer 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 issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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To Louis Forté, the person in whose name the real estate described below is taxed: You are hereby notified that at a regular Tax Sale held in and for Polk County, Iowa, on December 1, A. D. 1925, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 12, Block 4, in Porter Replat, Bloomfield Township, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to J. L. Witmer for the payment of the taxes for the year 1924, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, therefor, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Elizabeth D. Witmer. That the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated April 23, 1929. Elizabeth D. Witmer, By H. Pierce Witmer, Agent.

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WASHINGTON

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The Fourth Ministers and Workers Meeting of the Church of God in Christ of the State of Iowa Will Convene at Des Moines, Tenth and Park Streets

Wednesday, May 1, 1929

Lasting 5 Days To the Glory of God

We are asking each church to represent with \$6 each; Y. P. W. \$2.50 each; S. S. \$2.50. Mother Benson is asking each auxiliary of the Women's Work to report \$2.50; each pastor is asked for \$1.50; each local minister and missionary \$1.00. Pastor please bring a donation of foodstuffs.

All ministers and their congregations of the city are invited. We are expecting with us during this meeting Elder F. Chaney, overseer of Minnesota; Elder V. M. Barker, overseer of Missouri, and other visiting ministers, Sister Ford, pianist of Omaha, Nebraska.

Bring the Sick That They May Be Healed!

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Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Cash on hand, Real Estate, Mortgages, etc. Liabilities include Legal Reserve, Claims Pending, etc. Total Net Assets: \$6,109,866.99. Total Liabilities: \$6,109,866.99.

TOTAL INSURANCE IN FORCE \$75,552,984

The world rests, finally, on a few very simple old ideas. Fidelity is one of them—Fidelity, mother of Security, sister of Truth. In fidelity to an ideal of service this Company came into being, more than thirty years ago. In that fidelity it has grown and prospered—amazingly. This growth and this prosperity, rooted in fidelity, are among the important assets of our advancing Negro commerce. In that sense they are your assets too and will, in even larger measure, be assets of your children. It is in that spirit, and from that viewpoint, we have here set down the figures which express the progress of this Company in 1928—the latest link in a chain stretching back to a past century. These figures express prosperity but in no narrow sense. They mean increased peace and security in hundreds of thousands of Negro homes. They mean better living conditions, better employment conditions, for more hundreds of thousands of Negro men and women. They mean more schooling and better schooling to pave the way to a brighter future for perhaps a million or more Negro boys and girls in whose hands lies the future of our Race.

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