



EDITORIALS

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STREET CAR TROUBLE. The street car men's union of Des Moines are demanding a raise in wages. The company has signified their willingness to grant the request and at the same time enter upon a program whereby at the end of two years one-man cars will be in operation over the system.

The city railway is one corporation which has been forced to operate at a loss in spite of the fact that experience in other cities has taught that one man cars can be operated at a great savings. Of course the contract calling for two men cars was in full force during all the period of the companies' difficulties but it has been like giving a sick man quinine when the doctor and nurse knew the medicine was killing the patient.

Towns like Kansas City, much larger than Des Moines, are using one man cars. The right of the public to uninterrupted service from the company is greater than that of the unions to insist upon carrying a lot of men on the payroll who are not needed on the job.

DE PRIEST PROGRAM. Congressman DePriest will be in Des Moines, Sept. 13. Some one inquired if he were speaking on Mrs. DePriest's experience at the white house. That person is an intelligent man thoroughly in harmony with the Negroes' fight and yet it demonstrated how little some good people know about our program.

Mr. DePriest is insisting that the Negro know the constitution and if so, of course he can fully understand what his civil and political rights are. He insists that the Negro take advantage of his political and economic opportunities. This is his program. It is the program of every intelligent Negro, nothing more, nothing less.

CHURCH UNIFICATION. A program looking for unification of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion churches is being worked out. Both churches have extensive programs employing many people, and in many cases the program is poorly financed because of the duplication of effort.

MQRAN, IOWA, NEWS. By Mrs. Ernest DeVan.

A joint mission meeting was held in a grove about one mile south of Moran on August 1. The meeting was sponsored by the St. John's B. Mission Circle of Moran, the Mission Circle of Bethel Baptist Church of Perry, and the Mission Circle of the Church of God in Christ was represented. A delicious dinner was spread in picnic style. Some very interesting talks were given on mission work. On August 8, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. White, accompanied by their family, dinner guests in the J. L. Lytle honor of their son, Roy, who

The Negro in America

By J. G. Browne

We are advised that the Hon. Oscar DePriest, M. C., from the first congressional district of Illinois will be in our city to make an address Friday, September the 13th. We were in Chicago seventeen years ago when the Negroes of the second ward put up a candidate for the City Council. A Mr. Griffin, brother of Rev. Griffin one of the former pastors of St. Paul A. M. E. Church of this city was the first to throw his hat into the ring. He was a member of Bethel A. M. E. church on the corner of 30th and Dearborn st. Immediately a prominent citizen of color from another of the big churches in that ward became a candidate also by the name of Cowan, who if we remember rightly was a Presbyterian. The result was that the regular Republican organization supported neither one of them, and the white nominee went in by a narrow majority, even though the Negro vote in the second ward was nearly 30,000. At the next, councilman election the Negroes concentrated on a single candidate, Mr. Oscar DePriest, and the Republican organization, in that ward which was dependent upon the Negro vote for its control, had to support him. He thus became the first Negro Alderman of Chicago.

It was then that the idea of sending a Negro to Washington from the first Congressional district was conceived. This district as you know for many years was represented by the late M. B. Madden, a friend of the Negro, whose tenure of office was continued until his death by the loyal support of the Negro voters of his district. The Negroes of the United States can profit by the example set for them by the first Congressional district of Illinois, which is the second richest legislative district in America. It is great to represent people, it is greater to represent people and money. He comes as a member of the greatest legislative body in the world, the Congress of the United States of America. He is peculiarly the most picturesque being on Capitol Hill, because he is the lone representative of one of the largest racial groups of American citizens; fifteen million Negroes turn hopefully toward him for guidance, while one hundred million others look on with mixed emotions.

There are a hundred other legislative districts in the United States where the Negro has the same political opportunity as is afforded him in the first Congressional Illinois. Let us profit by this concrete example of United effort. We are not many in Iowa as compared to the state, but united we can be a potent factor in the politics of Des Moines. So for this occasion, we will bury our differences, forget our dislikes, disarm hatred, enthroned common sense, and acclaim our distinguished guest with open arms and open minds, determined that in spite of ourselves we will achieve, we will go forward.

is visiting them from the east. A musical program was rendered by the White family. Mrs. Minnie Cleaready was a dinner guest in the home of her sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeVan. Mrs. M. J. Johnson of Shelbina, Mo., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edmunds.

WATERLOO, IOWA

By Elizabeth Hackett. A correction: Instead of convening August 9th, as reported last week, the Baptist Association will convene August 19th, at Mt. Carmel Baptist Church. Let's make this a record week, this is Waterloo. Russell Bell, one of our coming football stars, has been in the hospital for some time, but is much improved at this writing and will be home soon. We are very glad. Five young men from the Prentiss, Miss., institute gave a very commendable program at Payne Chapel A. M. E. Church. The Emancipation celebration sponsored by the N. A. A. C. P. at the Electric Park was a huge success. Many out-of-town guests attended. Mrs. Sarah Johnson, who has been very sick is much improved at this writing. Mrs. M. F. Fields has recently returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. London, in Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Clara Roberts of St. Louis, Mo., is in the city visiting in the home of her brother, Attorney M. F. Fields. Mrs. Eugenia Burbridge of Indianapolis, Ind., is spending her vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Alberta Green.

Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

RAYNAUD'S DISEASE

Raynaud's Disease is one in which the extremities are affected: the toes, fingers, ears, and sometimes the chin. In contrast with Diabetic gangrene and gangrene due to arteriosclerosis or hardened arteries in which cases the blood supply is cut off from these extremities, it (Raynaud's Disease) occurs, without any permanent change in the blood vessels.

It is nevertheless caused by a temporary change in the blood vessels there being first a constriction or intense narrowing followed by the opposite, a dilation. This narrowing gives to very great pain and the dilation which ensues causes the hand or foot or the part affected to become very red in appearance and warm to the person affected. There are all grades and degrees of this condition, mild, moderate and severe and in further contrast to the two diseases above mentioned age makes no difference.

Small children may have this disease in mild or severe form. Its chief interest lies in the fact that an attack may cause gangrene of the extremity necessitating its removal. As far as its cause is concerned it is known to follow a period of worry or anxiety and happens from some disturbance in the sympathetic nervous system which the constriction of the arteries. Of interest in this connection are some remarkable operations which have been done lately removing certain portions of this nervous system causing thereby normal relaxation of these arteries and a cure of the disease.

Reviving the rapidly vanishing Ku Klux Klan, the residents of Urbandale, a small community on the suburbs of Des Moines, gave themselves a thrill by burning the second fry cross in three days in front of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Venzant, 6810 Douglas Avenue, last Tuesday night.

The Alexanders who had moved in for the summer to take care of the house at 6810 Douglas Avenue, the home of Roy M. Beck, met the disapproval of his surrounding neighbors because he was colored.

Following the burning of the cross Tuesday night; the second in three days, a mob which had assembled outside of the Venzant home fired shots and finally posted a sign, which read: "Last warning, get out, beware." Wednesday night, the self-appointed protectors of white supremacy, amused themselves by tossing rocks on the roof.

No person could be located Wednesday, who would admit having participated in either the Sunday or Tuesday night's demonstration, but several said about 100 persons gathered after the crosses were lighted.

D. L. Leach, Seventieth street and Douglas avenue, declared he and his wife heard the shots Tuesday night and saw the burning cross. Leach said a large crowd gathered but added that no violence had been done. He also confirmed the fact that the posters had been placed near the residence occupied by the Negroes.

Mrs. F. E. Thurman, 6657 Douglas avenue, neighbor of the Beck family, also confirmed the fact that crosses were burned both Sunday and Tuesday nights and that warning notices were posted Tuesday night. She declared, however, that the whole affair was a "foolish incident" and declared vigorously that some persons were making fools of themselves. The Venzants are just taking care of the house while the Beck family are away and will be there for only a few days. I think those that participated in Sunday and Tuesday night's affairs were grossly in error and unduly excited. J. O. Mann, mayor of the community, said he had heard reports of the affair and, that while he had taken no action as yet, he certainly would so should further disturbances occur.

DIVINE INSULTED AT FLAG VESPERS

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5, (CNS).—Insulted by ushers and refused seats to which their tickets entitled them, patriotic Negroes attending Vesper Flag Services held on the steps of the Capitol of the United States under the auspices of the United States Flag Association, were forced by self-respect to quit the scene of insult.

It was learned here recently that Reverend Walter H. Brooks, pastor of the Nineteenth Street Baptist church, and for years an exponent of patriotism and good citizenship, was refused seats for which his tickets called, and was instructed that he must "go further back", that "those seats are for white folks," whereupon he tore the tickets to shreds, threw them at the feet of the insulting officer of the law, and quitted the scene.

The tickets accompanied an invitation to attend the services extended by Rev. Brooks by the Executive Committee of the Flag-Association. The program reads "Sitting side by side—one wearing the Blue and the other the Gray; once foes, now friends—will be one hundred or more members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Veterans of the Confederacy."

GARVEY CONVICTION OPENS WITH PRAYER TO GOD AND GENEVA

Kingston, Jamaica, August 5, (CNS).—Edelwise Park was packed with curious natives this morning when the Sixth Convention of the Universal Negro Improvement Association opened here with divine services, which was attended by the Mayor and members of the Kingston Corporation who, apparently agreed that so long as the Garveyites contented themselves with praying to God and petitioning the imperialist League of Nations no real action would be taken by them towards the liberation of the African races and therefore the oppressors need have no fear.

In the afternoon a procession of 12,000 marched through the streets with bands, banners and outriders. Garvey strutted ahead in naval uniform in memory of the defunct Black Star Line. He was followed by a line of Black Cross nurses, Boy Scouts, girl guides, delegates to the convention and many curious natives.

For the first time in history of the U. N. I. A. conventions an organized

The Bystander is making its subscription collections by the use of a group of boys. We find this necessary because it is impossible for the editor to call on each one personally. You will do us a great favor if you pay them when they call or give them some definite date to return just as you do your daily paper carrier. It encourages them. If you have any complaints and can't adjust the matter with them call the office. We want to serve you but cannot unless we know what you want.

Our whole mailing list is being rechecked for errors in addresses and dates of expirations. We will make errors but tell us, not somebody else.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—Chief Justice Howard Taft of the Supreme Court of the United States has been requested by Representative Fiorello H. La Guardia, Rep. of New York, not to assign Federal judges to New York, "who do not understand local conditions, who are reared in the narrow atmosphere of provincial backwoods and who have strong feelings toward certain races and creeds." The conduct of Judge William H. Atwell of Texas and Judge John E. Martineau, while presiding over the United States district court for the eastern district of New York was made the basis of the appeal of Mr. La Guardia against the assignment of Federal Judges from other states to New York.

Mr. La Guardia is a candidate for the republican nomination for mayor of New York.

WHITE SHIPPING CLERK KILLS FOUR IN AX RAMPAGE

Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 5, (CNS).—One colored man and three whites were killed today by a white clerk who suddenly became a raving maniac. The dead are R. H. Day, 30 sales manager for the J. W. Bell company; J. L. Bussey, 58, cashier; M. L. Davis, 36 and Thad Sherbert, 61, car repairers. Dan Dunlap, 40, colored, suffered a fractured skull and is expected to die.

Robertson first killed Day and Bussey with an ax and wounded the colored man.

Chicago, August 9.—Thousands of desert sons of the Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles of Mystic Shrine, Masonry's funmakers, and a host of delegates representing every branch of Freemasonry, will invade Chicago for their annual convolve next week.

The formal opening sessions will be held at the Pythian Temple, 37th and State streets, next Tuesday, after hearing welcome addresses at Wendell Phillips high school Monday morning.

An electrical pageant Monday night will be a feature of the big convention. Throughout the week, beginning Sunday morning, the Daughters of Isis Order of Eastern Star, and Heroines of Templars Crusade will be notable for their activities. Memorial services will be conducted by the Imperial grand court, Daughters of Isis and the Heroines of Templars Crusade next Sunday morning at the Metropolitan Community church, 41st Street and South Parkway. These auxiliaries will open their formal session at the Community church Monday morning at 8:30. The city of Chicago will become the official playground for next week, and for six days, the windy city will be a riot of merriment, while bands form many cities will blare forth their melodies.

SHAKE THAT THING MAY BE

New York, Aug. 3.—Blues as sung by Ethel Waters, noted warbler, may be all right when played on the phonograph scientifically, but aside from that, they're out of order. Soruled Magistrate Maurice H. Gottlieb after "hearing evidence" in the case, where John H. Sumner, of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, complained against Joseph F. Brogan, of the Gramophone shop.

The evidence was phonograph records, bearing such titles as "Shake That Thing," "Daddy, You Got Everything," "Go Where You Stayed Last Night," and "Do What You Did Last Night." Brogan's counsel read a letter from R. W. Gordon, folk song authority saying that the records would be of value in a survey of American folk songs, but "should be played only for scientific research."

Magistrate Gottlieb discharged Brogan, but ordered confiscation of eighty records in his shop because they were alleged to be immoral and suggestive.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, Past International Matron and author of the History of the Order of the Eastern Star, left this morning for Chicago where she will be one of the principal speakers on the program of the Triennial Convention of the International Conference of O. E. S. which will be held in that city simultaneously with that of all other departments of Prince Hall Free Masonry during the coming week.

KID COCOLATE WINS FROM STEVE SMITH

Chicago, (CNS)—Kid Chocolate, crack Cuban featherweight, outpointed Steve Smith, of Bridgeport, Conn., in the 10-round bout of his Chicago debut.

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AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Know All Men by these Presents: That as a special meeting of the stockholders of Jacobson Linotyping Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, held at the office of the Company in Des Moines, Iowa, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1925, after due and legal notice of said meeting had been given and with all the outstanding stock present and voting, the following amendments were passed:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the articles of Incorporation of the Jacobson Linotyping Company be amended by striking out all of Article III and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

ARTICLE III The object of this corporation is to do a general business of typesetting, type casting, make-up and all other composing room service. BE IT RESOLVED, that the articles of Incorporation of the Jacobson Linotyping Company be amended by striking out the first sentence in the first paragraph of Article Four and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

ARTICLE IV The total authorized capital stock of the corporation shall be thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) which shall be divided as follows: 250 shares of common stock with the par value of \$100 each and 100 shares of preferred stock with a par value of \$100 each. Said preferred stock shall be entitled to receive from the net earnings of the Company an annual dividend of eight per cent per annum as declared by the Board of Directors semi-annually, before any dividends are paid upon the common stock. The holders of said preferred stock shall not be entitled to any further dividends any one year even though said net earnings amount to a sum over and above an amount sufficient to pay eight per cent on the preferred stock, and eight per cent on the common stock.

After one year the preferred stock, at the option of the Board of Directors, shall be subject to redemption in whole or in part at \$100 per share and accrued dividends thereon on any dividend paying date unless otherwise agreed, which agreement shall be entered on the face of the certificate. The holders of preferred stock shall not have any voting power whatsoever except upon the question of selling, transferring or otherwise disposing of the property and assets of the corporation as an entirety.

In case of liquidation of the assets of said corporation, the order of participation in the assets shall be as follows: Creditors shall be paid in full; Preferred stockholders shall be paid in full; Common stockholders shall be paid the balance on the basis of their holdings at the time of the liquidation of the corporation. BE IT RESOLVED, that the articles of Incorporation be further amended by adding the word "no" more after the word "two" and before the word "directors" in the first line of Article V.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the secretary sign and acknowledge in behalf of the stockholders such instrument as may be necessary and proper to make said amendments effective and legal and cause same to be filed and notice thereof to be published as provided by law. HARRY SCHREINER, President. J. EARL SCHREINER, Secretary-Treasurer.

ORDER FOR THE SERVICE OF NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF APPRAISEMENT. In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Wilhelm Prieb, Deceased. No. 1597 Probate. BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 15th day of July, 1925, comes on for hearing the application of the Executor of the said estate in the matter of the Estate of Wilhelm Prieb, deceased, asking for authority to service notice of time and place of appraisement by publication.

The Court being fully advised in the premises, finds that the beneficiaries entitled to share in the estate of the above named decedent are partly non-residents of the state of Iowa, and that the street addresses of some of them are unknown, and that it is impracticable to give the notice provided for by statute. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED that the notice of time and place of appraisement of the property of said estate be made by publication in the Iowa Bystander published at Des Moines in said county and state once each week for four consecutive weeks at expense of said estate, and said hearing is set for the 15th day of August, 1925. W. G. BONNER, Judge.

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# Society and Clubs

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The Mary Church Terrell Club enjoyed a social evening, August 12. The next social will be with Mrs. Nell Esters, August 26. Honors were won by Mesdames Winn and Trotter.

The Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Birdie Winn, Wednesday evening, August 14.

Mrs. Lena Wilson will return to the city from her vacation Saturday. She motored to Chicago and Pittsburgh. While in Pittsburgh she was the guest of Mrs. Margaret Turner, an old friend, and a former resident of this city.

The Monarch Club will meet Monday evening at the Center.

The baby clinic anniversary will be held the middle of September.

Evangelist Sadie B. Jenkins passed through the city last week. She will hold a two weeks' revival at Perry, Iowa. Miss Jenkins will stop in Ft. Dodge and will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Hubbard. She is enroute to Minneapolis, Minn., to her annual conference. Evangelist Jenkins will preach the annual sermon for her annual conference this conference year.

Mrs. Lillian Cary and daughters, Pearl and Barbara, of Chicago, are the house guests of Mr. John R. Drew and daughter, 148 Sheridan Ave.

The La Mercedia Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, August 14, at the Community Center.

Dr. E. Thomas Scales will conduct the baby clinic at the Community Center from 2-4 p. m. o'clock on Thursdays as usual during the absence of Dr. J. A. Jefferson, who will leave Monday on a three weeks vacation.

Miss Janice Jones left for Tulsa, Okla., Friday morning after a pleasant visit of two weeks duration. While in the city Miss Jones was the recipient of several social courtesies.

Misses Mary Woods and Janice C. Jones, Okla., motored to the boys' Y Camp Sunday Aug. 11 with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson. They were accompanied by Miss Beatrice Cassell. After arriving a delicious lunch was served; then later were shown through the camp by Frank Bailey. Late in the afternoon Frank took the group for a joyous boat ride.

The Gospel Choir, local music organization gave a surprise party for Mrs. Jennie Cooke at her residence on West Second street on August 8th. The members entertained Mrs. Cooke with several musical numbers, after which which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson are directors of the Choir. Mrs. Cooke has just returned from the hospital and is much improved. She was injured in an automobile accident.

## GOULD-HICKS NUPTIALS ANNOUNCED

Surrounded by his pastor and his Teachers, in a special session of the Sunday School Board, at his beautiful home at 955 West Sixteenth Street, Mr. Harrison Gould, Senior Steward and Sunday School Superintendent of St. Paul A. M. E. Church, set at rest the various rumors that have been current in Des Moines and St. Paul social circles for the past six weeks, by introducing his new wife, formerly Mrs. Mattie R. Hicks of St. Paul, Minnesota, and having read a marriage certificate dated in Mason City, Iowa, on June 21, 1929, at which time the bride was closing her sixth years' service as Grand Secretary and the groom was a prominent candidate for Grand Patron of Electa Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, then in session in that city.

The bride is no stranger to many Iowa folks, having formerly been the wife of an African Methodist minister, the Rev. J. H. Wade and served with him on a number of Iowa pastorates, including Muchaknock, Osgoda and Cedar Rapids; but after whose death she returned to her former home city, St. Paul, Minnesota, where she has resided ever since. She was accompanied to Des Moines by her niece, Mrs. F. J. Murphy of Minneapolis, the two motoring through in Mrs. Gould's own car on the day of the announcement party.

The groom is one of Des Moines' most substantial citizens, being the custodian of the Chas. Hewitt & Sons Wholesale Grocery House and in addition to his church connections is one of the founders of the Crocker Street Y. W. C. A. of which he still serves as

Chairman of Social Work, is a Past Master of North Star Lodge A. F. & A. M., a Past Patron of Zorah Chapter of the O. E. S., a member of Hawkeye Lodge, I. B. P. O. E. W., and a Past Grand Chancellor and present Grand Master of Work of the Knights of Pythias and with his bride left yesterday morning for Indianapolis, Ind., where he is a representative to the Supreme Grand Lodge of K. of P., which will be in session in that city all next week.

After the reading of the marriage certificate by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Williams, Atty. S. Joe Brown, a life-long friend of both the bride and the groom, on behalf of the male portion of the church and Mrs. Rosa V. Williams, wife of the pastor, on behalf of the ladies, congratulated the groom and welcomed the bride into our community and especially into the activities of the Church and Sunday School in which she has always been and is expected to continue a vital factor. A delicious repast was served by a committee from the Ladies' Usher Board of St. Paul Church, Waterloo, Iowa.

## Notice Of Meeting

The Iowa-South Dakota Baptist Association will convene with the Mt. Carmel Baptist church, Rev. J. H. Patton, pastor, in the city of Waterloo, August 19-24. All churches in this connection are requested to send or bring your apportionment to this meeting. We are expecting a large delegation, come early. REV. S. BATES, D. D., Moderator. J. W. TUTT, Executive Secretary.

## UNION BAPTIST NEWS

Rev. J. W. Tutt, pastor of Union Baptist church, East Sixteenth and University Avenue, and his wife are now at home at 1446 Buchanan St. They may be reached by phone 6-1990. Both services at Union Sunday were well attended. Rev. Tutt used as his text Sunday evening, James 4:14. Subject: "WHAT IS YOUR LIFE?" There were five additions to the church.

Visitors from Ottumwa, Sunday, were: Mrs. Luella Johnson, Mrs. Flossie Johnson, Denril, Frederick and Yvonne Williams. Mr. A. Wilson accompanied them. Mr. Guy Thompson and Mr. Nelson Foster from Ottumwa were enroute home from Ft. Dodge Monday and spent a short time in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Tutt.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—Resolutions on unification of the African Methodist Episcopal and the African Methodist Episcopal Zion churches are to be voted upon by the annual conferences and individual churches of the two connections, are being sent out John R. Hawkins secretary of the joint commission on organic union and financial secretary of the African Methodist Episcopal church, announced Monday.

Three-fourths of the members of each annual conference and a majority of the members of each church present and voting must vote for the resolutions in order to adopt them. If the required number of annual conferences and churches ratify the resolutions, a general conference of the two churches of the two denominations.

This united general conference will legislate for the government of the general church. There shall be no changes, however, in anything fundamental to Methodism in the way of doctrinal tenets and constitution.

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## MY IDEA OF MAN!

By Charleen M.

IF YOU flatter a man, it frightens him to death.

IF YOU permit him to make love to you, he gets tired of you after awhile; and if you don't, he gets offended in the beginning.

IF YOU agree with him in everything, you soon cease to charm him.

IF YOU don't believe all he tells you, he thinks you are a cynic; and if you do, he thinks you are a fool.

IF YOU wear gay colors, rouge and startling hats, he hesitates to take you out.

IF YOU wear a little brown toque and a tailored suit, he takes you out and gazes all evening at some other girls in gay colors.

IF YOU are jealous of him, he can't endure you if you are not; he can't understand you.

IF YOU join in his gaities and approve of his smoking, he tosses you are leading him to the devil; and if you disapprove of his gaities and urge him to give up smoking, he swears you are driving him to the altar.

IF YOU are cute and boyish, he longs for a soul-mate; and if you are brilliant and intellectual, he longs for a play-mate.

IF YOU are temperamental and poetic, he longs for a helpmate; —and all the time he trying to remodel YOU into what you are not, never were, and never can be. Amen. (?)

## GREATEST WAR PICTURE

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"FOUR SONS" one of the greatest war pictures ever thrown on the screen will be shown at St. Paul A. M. E. church, Monday evening, Aug. 19th, through the efforts of R. S. Sims, the church secretary. This picture has been booked and will be handled by an experienced licensed operator, with the latest type motion picture machine. The story is full of heart thrilling episodes and will make you laugh as well as cry. This entertainment is given under the auspices of the stewards department and is to help the church raise its annual conference assessments. Tickets will be sold at the door and the price of admission will be, adults 25c, children under 12, 10c. The show will start promptly at 8:30 p. m.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

There are some very interesting opportunities offered to our readers among the classified ads which appear on the pages of the Illustrated feature Section in this issue. Why not look them over?

## NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

To Best Deal, 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 3, A. D. 1928, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 45, Clifton Heights, 1st Plat, 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 1921 and 1922 and full street opening, paving, curbing thereon and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, therefore, 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 July 11, 1929.

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## NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given that application for commutation of sentence to pardon has been presented to me in the case of Peter Johnson, No. 1193, Fort Madison, who was convicted of the crime of Rape at the vacation term, August, 1921, of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Winneshiek County, and sentenced to imprisonment for life. Said application is based upon the following grounds: 1st—Because he has been sufficiently punished for the crime of which he was convicted. 2nd—Because Executive clemency is recommended by the Trial Judge and the County Attorney who prosecuted the case. That said application will be presented to the Board of Pardon at the October session, in accordance with the provisions of Section 242, of the Code. Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 18th day of July, A. D. 1929.

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## EDDIE TOLAN SCORES TWICE IN GERMAN MEET

Cologne, Germany—(CNS.) Eddie Tolan, University of Michigan sprinter, scored a double victory in the International track meet there, winning the 100-meter dash in the time of 10.4 seconds, then returned to capture the 200 meters in 21.8.

North Platte, Neb., Aug. 8—Accused of being leaders of a mob of men and boys that forced Negroes to leave here following the killing of a policeman by a Negro, four men Wednesday faced charges of unlawful assembly.

Named Tuesday as alleged ringleaders, Albert Hastings, Edward Spangnick, John M. Campbell and James Miller are expected to be arraigned within the next few days, Lloyd Dort, special state prosecutor, said. A penalty of thirty days in jail and a fine of \$100 is provided on conviction of the charge of unlawful assembly.

Detroit extended a warm welcome to the National Bar Association and its visiting delegates. Among the many welcoming the Association to the Dynamic City which also has a soul were President Percival Piper of the "Bar Law Club," Charles C. Driggs for the Business Men's Association, Dr. D. C. Northcross for the Medical Association and Hon. John C. Nagel, Acting Mayor of the City of Detroit.

One of the first acts of the Association as the adoption of the report of the Resolutions Committee which recommended the adoption of a resolution of thanks to the Associated Negro Press and its Director Claude Barnett for the frequent and considerate publicity which has been given to the Association and its activities. Hon. Homer G. Phillips of St. Louis was chairman of the Resolutions Committee which sponsored this resolution.

Hon. Charles H. Calloway of Kansas City, Missouri, presented a resolution expressing regret at the untimely death of the Hon. William T. Francis, Minister to Liberia.

One of the most significant happenings of the first day's session was the expulsion of a member of the Association for unprofessional conduct, the Association serving notice through its courteous uncompromising attitude towards misconduct that the highest ethical standards would be maintained by the Association.

President C. Francis Stradford delivered a brilliant and informing address upon the subject "Changes in Law brought by Social and Economic Forces". During the course of his remarks President Stradford said: "It is not enough to oppose residential segregation, disfranchisement laws, and separate schools, we must work incessantly to put on the statute books of every state a comprehensive Civil Rights Law which should be constantly

## ANOTHER RACE CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

New York City, Aug. 3, (CNS.) While many voters in the Twenty-first Congressional District feel that Dr. Roberts, dentist, 349 Lenox Avenue, who made the race for Congress in 1924 against the late Congressman Royla H. Wheeler, would make a good showing in the special election in November, indications point to the naming of Edward A. Johnson, who made the run last year, as the Republican nominee.

In the Nineteenth Assembly District Col. Charles H. Fillmore and his cohorts are waging a determined fight to win over the opposition of Leader Abraham Grenthal. Francis E. Rivers a young attorney, it is claimed will oppose Grenthal for the Assembly.

## Event Worth Remembering

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The subject of this sketch is one of Des Moines' popular younger set who by close application to business and study has gradually arisen from the ranks and become one of our leading business men.

He came to the city from Buxton about twenty years ago and soon thereafter began work as chair car porter on the Chicago, Great Western Ry. Co., and for about ten years ran from Des Moines to Kansas City, where he met, wedded and wed his better half, Mrs. Lena S. Wilson, an expert stenographer who, at the time of her marriage was stenographer to Atty. L. Amasa Knox, now a member of the Missouri State Legislature; and who is now for several years past and who is now for several years the Historical Department of the State of Iowa.

For the past ten years Mr. Wilson has been assistant custodian of the Supreme offices of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen, on Fifth Avenue, this city, just a block from his own modern home; but has utilized his leisure hours studying Embalming and Funeral Directing with Mr. V. L. Jones, the dean of Iowa Negro Embalmers and even before having completed his course organized the Jones-Wilson Funeral Home corporation which took over the business established by Mr. Jones more than twenty years ago and now located at 211 West 14th St.

Having completed the course of study and graduated from the Hohenschue-Carpenter School of Embalming, he was last week licensed by the State Board and has now taken over the general management of the Jones-Wilson Funeral Home, Mr. Jones, the former manager having recently removed to Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Wilson has recently had the place re-decorated and furnished with the most modern equipment and has added to his staff a lady attendant in the person of Mrs. Alice B. Bell, a practical nurse, who has had years of experience as an undertaker's assistant and will always be on hand to give the most careful attention to women and children who might happen to have relatives in the Funeral Home.

## DE PRIEST URGES RACE

FARMERS TO ORGANIZE

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5, (CNS.)—Congressman Oscar De Priest, of Illinois, urges Negro farmers to organize that they may be eligible for help from the \$500,000,000 revolving fund appropriated for farm relief. In a recent interview the Illinois Congressman emphasized the great necessity for the Negro farmers of the country to organize and meet the requirements of the Federal Farm Board if they hope to obtain the benefits of the new farm legislation. Urging the organization of Negro

farmers, Congressman De Priest said: "I feel that the matter of diversification of crops would tend largely to limit the danger of surplusage of crops in the wrong products."

"Now that the so-called Farm Relief Bill has passed, Negro farmers should proceed to comply with its provisions, meet its requirements and take advantage of a share in the \$500,000,000 revolving fund. IF COMPETENT CO-OPERATIVE ORGANIZATIONS DO NOT NOW EXIST, THEN THE FARMERS SHOULD FORM SUCH ORGANIZATIONS AT ONCE IN ORDER TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAW."

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### MUSCATINE, IOWA

By A. O. Powell

I've been told: Mrs. L. Layd and Mrs. Ada Pash accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Harris to Melrose, Ill., Sunday, where Rev. Harris preached the anniversary sermon of Bethel A. M. E. Church. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson of Cedar Rapids are visiting Mr. Thompson's sisters in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. McNulty Pash, Willie Mitchell and Mrs. Genevieve Trumble motored to Iowa City Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Beatrice Smith and Misses Lucinda and Hazel Lee attended the opening day of the fair in Davenport. Mrs. Bebel Davis is visiting in Davenport this week. Mrs. J. P. McWilliams is improving on her property in Park Place. McNulty Pash and party were winners at what of the weekly social meeting Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson entertained the club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pash's, assisted by Mrs. Pash. Charles Hester is now making his home in Davenport having moved his household goods there.

### WATERLOO, IOWA, NEWS

By Edna K. Bell

Rev. G. W. Day preached morning and evening. His subject in the morning was taken from the text: "Daniel Among the Lions," Dan. 6:10-18. Preceding the sermon, a duet was sung by Mrs. Geo. Ravelin and Mrs. Adelaide Tanner, "Peace Be Still." Rev. R. A. Broyles worshipped with Antioch Church the first time this year. The B. Y. P. U. rendered a very splendid program. All credit is given to Mr. Edward Cunningham, who is very able and always willing to serve. The Sunday School picnic which should have been last week will be held Friday at Cedar River Park. The following visitors were in service at Antioch Sunday morning: Mrs. Nancy Allen of Durant, Miss. a sister of Mrs. Hallie Ingham; Mrs. Curry, the mother of Mr. Joe Curry; Mrs. Curry, the sister-in-law of the same, and Mr. Paul Jackson. Dr. W. C. Willis, our dentist, presented his wife, Mrs. W. C. Willis, who was introduced to the church by Mrs. D. O. Miss Willie Mae Carter is visiting with Mrs. Hallie Ingham. Rev. William Bell expects to leave for Chicago to undergo an operation on his nose; we hope for him a speedy recovery. Mrs. Augustine Powell and baby daughter, Marguerite, are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Dora M. Childers. Mrs. Powell is from St. Louis. Plans are well under way for the moving of the old Antioch to a new church site. We are expecting to entertain the Moderator of the Iowa and South Dakota Association, Rev. Samuel Bates of Des Moines, Thursday night. Those on the sick list are: Mr. Russell Bell at the Presbyterian Hospital, who is doing nicely; Mr. Ralph Bell, Mrs. Odell Hines Cook and Miss Mildred Hillyard in Oakdale; they are doing fairly well. Mr. R. V. Wortham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wortham, passed away at his home on Jackson Street, Monday, August 5th. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife, his parents and two brothers, Henry and Roy, two sisters, Klist and Mrs. Reola Lawson of Asakwa, Okla., who arrived in the city Friday, August 9. Rev. G. W. Day officiated at the funeral. The delegates from the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Antioch church are as follows: Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Day, Mrs. Edna K. Bell, Mrs. Addie Curry and Mrs. Minnie Cobb. These are the representatives to W. H. and F. M. Convention of Iowa and South Dakota Assn. Anyone wishing to pay their delinquent or current subscription to the Bystander will see Master Paul Haughton, who will give you receipt for the same. You may all pay at once. Phone number 3342-W.

### ALBIA, IOWA

By May F. Davis

Rev. Allen of Oskaloosa makes his weekly visit to Albia on Sunday as pastor of A. M. E. Church. The Ministerial Aid met at the home of Mrs. Delia Thomas on Tuesday, from 11 o'clock until 2:30 o'clock. Lunch served by Mrs. S. Thomas, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. Oscar Roper of Hocking in attendance, topic of the day discussed. Mrs. Henrietta Dobbins of Haydock was in Albia on business. Miss Lucy Gordon has returned from Florida where she has been teaching music. She also was in Mason City broadcasting a few days a week ago. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen have returned from a trip to Colorado. On Sunday, August 5th, Albia was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bennings, Mrs. E.

Jeffers and Mrs. Allie Bowman, Mrs. Francis Tomlin came over in their Essex car with relatives, Mrs. Bessie Grayson, Mrs. Zoe Hollingsworth, Maggie Gordon and other friends of Des Moines. August is home coming week of the former Albia people who resided in Albia some years ago. Mrs. Carrie Griffith of Los Angeles, Cal., a daughter of Mrs. T. Thomas, is visiting at the parental home and with brothers and friends. Mrs. Jewett Walls of Mason City, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lewis, is at the parental home with her two children. Mr. Oren Marshall of Denver, Colo., who has been away from Albia for over forty years is back to the town, assisting with his sister, Mrs. Maggie Gordon and his other relatives and many friends. Mrs. Allie Bowman and son, Neal Bowman, of Des Moines, are in the city visiting with Mrs. Bowman's brother, Mr. Marshall, and her daughter, Mrs. Zoe Hollingsworth. The Sewing Circle Club met at the home of Mrs. G. A. Davis on Monday afternoon. Topics discussed were all current events and any race news found important. Lunch was served by Mrs. G. A. Davis. It was attended by visitors and out-of-town guests as follows: Mrs. Jewett Walls of Mason City; Mrs. Oren Marshall of Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Allie Bowman of Des Moines; Mrs. Carrie Griffith of Los Angeles, Cal.; out-of-town numbers of Hocking; Mrs. Oscar Roper of Hocking; Mrs. Mrs. Virgie Busis.

### FT. MADISON, IOWA

All of the churches held their regular service Sunday to a good congregation. The Emancipation celebration under the auspices of the Bethel A. M. E. Church was not very good on account of it raining all day. Mrs. Coby and Mrs. Clay and daughter of Lobell, Mo., were in the city attending the celebration. Those who are on the sick list are: Mrs. Nellie Iscum. Rev. C. P. Jones, daughter and wife, were in Burlington, Saturday afternoon, shopping. Harriet Wayman Women's Mite Missionary Society met at the Old Settler Park, Thursday, August 15. Thursday, August 22; fish fry at the home of Mrs. Richard H. Anderson. All are invited. Mrs. Betty Johnson is in Quincy, Ill., spending her vacation. Mrs. Lucy King, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mack, Mrs. Millie Moore and Mrs. Bates are on the sick list. Atty. J. B. Morris, editor and manager of the Bystander was in the city, with his agent Mrs. Jones, calling upon the regular subscribers for the paper. He was accompanied by Mr. Jordan of Ottumwa. Our closing weeks service is announced as follows: Monday, August 26, Rev. G. W. Clark, at 8 P.M.; A. M. E. Choir, Tuesday, August 27; Sunday School, Wednesday, August 28; Mrs. Jennett Morton of Keokuk, Iowa, Thursday, August 29; Dunbar program by Second Baptist Church, Friday, August 30; Rev. J. T. Tunstall of New Hope M. E. Church and Choir, Sunday morning, September 2, preaching at 11 A. M.; Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 P. M., Rev. J. W. Harris of Baptist Church and Choir. Come help us to close up our conference year work. Alberta Mae Jones, the little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Jones, put on a piano recital in Bethel A. M. E. Church, Keokuk, Thursday night, to a good house, returning home the same night.

### CLINTON, IOWA

By Gertrude E. Richardson

Rev. F. J. Black of the Second Baptist Church has resigned to accept a call to Waterloo. During the period of his work in Clinton, Iowa, Rev. Black has organized a Baptist Young People's Union, an evangelistic society and a pastor's-aid society. The people regret his leaving very much but are glad of his advancement to a larger field. Monday evening the members of the church gave a farewell reception for Rev. Black. Rev. C. O. Bunch of Des Moines has been elected to become pastor of the Second Baptist Church. The Emancipation Day celebration held at Root Memorial Park, August 4th, was a success. A total of \$81.25 was cleared, \$71.25 of which was paid on the church roofing expense and \$10 to the

church pastor. One of the features of the day was a ball game between the Clinton Colored Giants and the Dixon Colored Tigers. Clinton defeated Dixon by a score of 19 to 7. In the evening a dance was sponsored by the Clinton Colored Giants. A large number was in attendance. Mrs. F. L. Bean continues to improve slowly. Mr. and Mrs. Emerald Harris of Racine, Wis., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Davis. Mrs. Frank Perkins and son Frank, Jr., have returned to Omaha after visiting relatives and friends. E. V. Freels spent last week end at home. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Watts entertained the 500 club last Thursday evening. Mrs. Frank Perkins was an out of town guest. Dr. Henry Martin and daughter of Dubuque, were in the city Sunday. There were accompanied by Mrs. Frank Brown and Carl Culberson. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grimes and their son, E. W. Grimes of Lancaster, Wis., are guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Richardson.

### MT. PLEASANT NEWS

By Mrs. N. Thompson

Mr. C. Hunt and Miss Florence Short of Chicago are visiting at the home of Rev. Lasley and other relatives. Rev. and Mrs. Lasley and Miss Ruth, Mr. Floyd Hunt motored to Missouri last week and visited at the home of Mrs. Edith Williams of Monroe City. Mr. Mrs. Wm. Keith is visiting relatives in Bissouri. Mrs. J. C. Roth of Davenport, Iowa, is in the city giving Biblelectures at the Second Baptist Church. Miss Vivian Brown of Chicago is in the city visiting at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Watts. Mrs. Robt. Anderson has returned home from a pleasant visit with relatives in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. A. Owens motored to Des Moines Saturday and spent the week end with their notice. Miss Emma Betts of Des Moines accompanied them back and will visit a few weeks. Atty. Morris was in the city last week in the interest of the Bystander. Mrs. Bert Gilmore, Mrs. K. Dabner and Mr. Wm. Dabner motored to the city Saturday. They were guests of Mrs. N. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown and daughter Ethel Mae have returned from Omaha for an indefinite stay.

### FT. DODGE, IOWA

By Wm. Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Crowder returned from a pleasant trip in Sioux Falls, S. D. After the ball last Monday night we suppose our churches will have some cases to try. That is if they can get a suitable jury to try the cases which may be hard to do, for dancing is the crave of the times, and the lambs are simply following some of the old sheep. The home and foreign Missionary Circle of the Second Baptist Church put on a successful farce last Thursday night. The title of which was "Christ in America." Mesdames Coggs, S. S. Lewis and A. Crowder seldom spell fail. It is wonderful what our little group

can do on such short notice. Mr. J. W. Madison of Coppin Chapel A. M. E. Church is delegate to the Annual Conference which convenes in Minneapolis in September. Mr. Madison is one of the strongest members of the church and he is his pastor's helper; he feels it to be his duty to stand by a worthy pastor in the person of Rev. Hubbard. Mrs. S. D. Horn will soon be seen again at the wheel of her new car, taking S. D. to and from his work. The Sabbath School of the Second Baptist Church put on a grand program Friday night. The address by Mr. Horn was well delivered and heartily received. The Gays-Quartette of the Second Baptist Church sang at the Pleasant Valley Presbyterian church last Sunday evening to the delight of a good audience. The annual meeting of the Woman Home and Piling Circle was a success. In the absence of the state president, Mrs. S. S. Lewis, very efficiently filled the place having been president for 16 years. One more week and Rev. Coggs and a delegation from this church will be at Waterloo attending the 51st anniversary. Scott Davis is doing well in his new business. The Guy rooming house is still open at 211 Second St. south. Rooms by the day, or week. Prices normal.

### DAVENPORT, IOWA

By Rev. Lyell Williams

On Thursday, August 8th, the Third Baptist and the Bethel A. M. E. Sunday Schools enjoyed a joint picnic at Credit Island. The committee in charge was composed of the following people: Third Baptist, Miss Dorothy Mitchell, Miss Clara Jackson, Mr. Lyell Williams; Bethel A. M. E., Miss Cornelia Hockaday, Mr. Harold Wyatt, Mr. Henry Smith. A large crowd attended. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jackson returned to Davenport after an extensive tour. They visited Chicago and Glasgow, Miss. Mr. Henry Williams, Lyell Williams, and Mr. Clifton Tate of Minneapolis spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Eugene Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Galesburg, Ill., their relatives. Mr. Tate left Davenport Tuesday for Quincy, Ill., to visit his father. Mrs. V. Huff has returned to the city after a visit to Chicago. Davenport is preparing for the State Convention of Odd Fellows to be held here this week. The Turner Hall has been secured for the session of the Grand Lodge. The delegates of the Third Baptist Church are preparing for the Association. They are Rev. J. C. Bothic, Pastor, Mrs. T. C. Bothic, Mr. Lyell Williams, Church clerk, Miss Dorothy Mitchell, Miss V. Huff.

### Piney Woods

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others. They were unanimous in their declaration that Piney Woods School has made more progress than any other school of its age and that it is one of cleanest and best managed schools of its kind in our country. Laurence C. Jones, formerly of Iowa, is the founder, principal and directing genius of the remarkably helpful institution. He has not only built a fine school but keeps five and six students in business college and other schools throughout the country. He has helped many boys and girls who were without money to become successful young men and women.

### Report of District Conference Meet

To the Editor of the Bystander:

Will you allow me space in your valuable paper to say a word relative to the District Conference, Sunday School Convention, Women's Mite Missionary, and the Allen Christian Convention, of the Northwestern Annual Conference of the St. Paul District, of which the Rt. Rev. Bishop Archibald James Carey, D.D., L.L.D., is presiding. The late Rev. A. W. Hackley was appointed by Bishop Carey last September, departed this life last Rev. H. M. Collins of St. James

Church, St. Paul, Minn., and the Rev. J. S. Daniels of St. James A. M. E. Church, Minneapolis, Minn., to take care of the work until the Annual Conference.

On July the 17th the Conventions were called to order by the Rev. J. S. Daniel at 10 o'clock A. M. in Coppin Chapel A. M. E. Church, Ft. Dodge, Iowa, the Rev. B. F. and Mrs. Hubbard being the entertaining host and hostess. The writer can say being a Charter Member of the N. A. A. C. P., Charter Member of the N. W. A. C., we have never been so highly entertained at any District or Annual Conference as we were at Ft. Dodge by Rev. Hubbard and wife, together with his members and friends.

Bishop Carey was unavoidably absent but sent Rev. Brice U. Taylor, P. E., of the West Chicago District of the Chicago Conference to oversee the work. He was an asset to the convention, and we want to thank Bishop Carey for sending his proxy.

The Rev. H. M. Collins arrived in the afternoon of the 17th and took hold of the reins and handled things like a master at the business. The Conventions went on record of endorsing the Rev. Collins as secretary of the next General Conference.

The annual sermon was preached by the Rev. W. H. Ogleton, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, East Des Moines. He took for his text, Heb. 10:35. Cast not away therefore your confidence. Subject, Christian Confidence. Communion was administered to a large number. The Rev. Collins proceeded to organize the Conference. All the charges brought or sent reports; each one was good. Every minister of the St. Paul District went on record giving Bishop Carey his unstinted support, and to bring a round-ed report. The Rev. E. L. Fuller of Iowa City preached the educational sermon. Among the guests was the Rev. E. H. Colt, General Secretary of Missions, Rev. B. U. Taylor, Rev. T. B. Stovall, P. E., Minneapolis District, Rev. M. C. Boyd, pastor St. Peters Church, Minneapolis, Mayor C. V. Finley, Rev. H. L. Overton, Burnes M. E. Church, Des Moines, Rev. Geo. W. Williams of St. Paul, Des Moines. The conference went on record as endorsing Rev. Williams as the Candidate for Bishop at the next general conference from the Fourth District. The Rev. T. S. Henderson makes a splendid District Sunday School Superintendent.

The Women's Mite Missionary Convention was called to order by the president, Mrs. Marie Waters, on Thursday afternoon. After the Roll Call and organization, a solo was sung by Mrs. T. S. Henderson, and the president's address was delivered. After the Business Session was completed, the body went into the election of officers: President, Mrs. C. R. Waters; Vice President, Mrs. Edna Henderson; Secretary, Mrs. F. Curry; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Molly Madison, Treasurer, Mrs. M. Strong; other officers were appointed. Rev. B. U. Taylor conducted the election.

Miss Wilma Mayo called the Allen C. E. League together Friday afternoon. After organization and roll call solos were had and papers were read and discussed, and after the business session, officers were elected.

President, Miss Wilma Mayo; Vice President, Miss Ruth Cooper; Secretary, Miss Henry Wells. Money raised from all sources was \$204.52.

The District Conference elected four delegates to the Annual Conference. Charles Miller of St. Paul, Minn., J. W. Madison of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Mrs. Bell Glover of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Pearl Carter of Waterloo, Iowa.

A special prayer was offered for the recovery of Bishop A. J. Carey. REV. C. W. WATERS, Pastor.

BOYS' "Y" CAMP BREAKS ALL RECORDS

In our "Y" camp for the past ten years. After dinner the campers took the visitors for boat rides and for further inspections of the camp and its varied activities until four o'clock when all the campers and as many

of the visitors as cared to took a dip in the Des Moines River which flows by the camp; and as evening came all the visitors departed most of them regretting that they could not remain until Thursday and enjoy the outing with the boys.

### N. A. A. C. P. FIELD SECRETARY BROADCASTS AT WORLD CONGRESS AGAINST IMPERIALISM

New York, Aug. 9.—William Pickens, Field Secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., writes the National office from Frankfurt-on-Main, Germany, that the World Congress Against Imperialism opened in that city on July 21, at the Hippodrome Auditorium with 4,000 people of all races in attendance.

On the evening of July 21, Mr. Pickens spoke for America over the radio, while Henri Barbusse, the famous French author, spoke for France.

### NEW HOSPITAL 48 INTERRACIAL ACHIEVEMENT

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 14.—The opening here a few days ago of the new \$250,000 hospital for crippled children is regarded as a distinct interracial achievement in that the institution provides exactly the same facilities for colored children as for white. Of the building beds in the hospital twelve have been definitely set aside for the use of colored children, with the same equipment and conditions of admission, as in the case of the others. They will be in the care of a colored nurse.

The hospital was built from the proceeds of bond issues voted by the city and the county, largely through the efforts of former Mayor T. C. Thompson.

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son, chairman of the interracial committee. The institution provides both pay and free wards.

### 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 deer—deer green place. Dublin came from "dubb," meaning black, and "linn," meaning pool. Rutland is a corruption of Redlands.

Odd Monkey Specimen One of the most interesting specimens in the world zoos was the monkey that didn't have a tail, in Australia. He was the most humalike of all Old-world monkeys on exhibition. He did not have even the vestige of a rudimentary tail and his cry was a single wail, singularly like the cry of a child. He was all black except for a white frontal band over his eyes.

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