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Woodmen End Convention At Denver, Colo.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 21 (By the Associated Negro Press)—The Seventh Quadrennial session of the American Woodmen closed its session here today. Three hundred and ninety delegates representing twenty-eight states were in attendance. More than five hundred members of the Uniform Rank Department have been encamped at Camp Eusan, where thousands of Denverites and visitors have witnessed their maneuvers and field maneuvers and field exercises.

The report of L. H. Lightner, Supreme Clerk, Wednesday morning, that the assets of the organization had reached \$2,125,275.40. The convention endorsed a recommendation of the Supreme Commander, Dr. E. W. D. Obner, providing for the erection of a memorial and office building to cost approximately \$250,000. A Memorial Commission was created by the convention to put into effect the building program.

Practically all of the officers of the convention were re-elected during the session, only a few minor changes being made. Dr. E. W. D. Obner was re-elected Monday morning immediately following his report. Tuesday, in the morning session, L. H. Lightner was also returned following his very comprehensive digest of the records in his department.

More than twenty-six million dollars of insurance is in force on the books of the American Woodmen, according to the records of the Supreme Clerk. A new schedule of rates, slightly lower than the rates now in use, was presented to the convention by the secretary and was adopted by the Quadrennial session. The convention also adopted rules and regulations that will give a closer checkup on the work of supervision of the local camp work over the U. S.

The convention got under way Sunday when the memorial services were held in the afternoon at Shorter Chapel. Rev. Dr. J. W. Hoywood, Md., delivered the memorial address. Members of the uniform Rank Department resident in their uniforms occupied one section of the Shorter Chapel. Mr. B. H. Graham of Los Angeles acted as master of ceremonies and the music was under the direction of H. W. Scott.

Iowa Odd Fellows Close 47th Session; Year Successful One

Hold Rites for Mrs. S. Scott Friday Afternoon

The funeral of Mrs. Susie E. Scott, wife of G. W. Scott, 981 West 24th St., who passed away as the result of the result of an operation at Mercy Hospital Tuesday evening was held from St. Paul A. M. E. church of which she was a member, Friday afternoon at 1:30 with the funeral service by the pastor the Rev. Geo. W. Williams, assisted by the Rev. Geo. W. Robinson, of the Corinthian Baptist church.

The deceased was a member of the Sisters of the Mysterious Ten, The Order of the Eastern Star and the Daughters of Isis, and each of these orders conducted their ritualistic service after which interment was made at Glendale Cemetery.

Piney Woods, Miss., Aug. 22—Ground breaking ceremonies for a new dining room and kitchen took place at Piney Woods School in Mississippi yesterday at noon. Music was rendered by the Piney Woods band under direction of Prof. Unash, old Iowa band director from Iowa City, Iowa, and the prayer was by O. L. Dayton La Mollie, Ill. J. A. Bushnell of Algona, Iowa, who married Grace L. Swingley of Marshalltown, Iowa, where Laurence C. Jones, the founder and principal of Piney Woods School, came from, delivered the main address. The building will be two stories high and will contain dining rooms and kitchen and sleeping rooms up stairs for girls. All domestic science will be taught in this building.

FLOG WORKERS IN REIGN OF TERROR IN TOWN OF ELTON, I.A.

Lake Charles, La., Aug. 14 (CNS)—A reign of terror against workers in and around the town of Elton has been carried on by Albert Duplichan, Elton town marshal; C. L. Marcantoni, state highway officer, and an official named Joe Ritter. They had several Negro workers flogged, following an altercation at a dance. They had women and children whipped. They have also threatened all the Negro residents of Elton and vicinity.

:: This Week ::
France's Greatest Colonial Fighter
In The Feature Section

By Harry E. Wilson

The G. U. O. O. F., Dist No. 30 and G. U. O. H. H. of Ruth, Dist No. 24 of Iowa, assembled their delegation at Davenport, Iowa, for their 47th and 27th annual conventions, respectively with an exceptionally good representation in both departments.

The convention opened on Tuesday the 13th at 9:00 A. M., and lasted over the 14th and 15th. When G. M. F. J. Harris, and D. M. N. G., Lydia Thorp called their assemblies to order, in one of the most convenient halls in the city, neatly prepared by the local committee, little did they think that they were entering into possibly the best and most harmonious convention in the history of the Order in Iowa. Everything was so nicely arranged by the home committee, showing that their ambition was not to please beyond question, every one of the visiting brothers and sisters and so successful were they that, that same harmonious spirit was carried on to the lodge assembly which marked its great success.

The first day was taken up with committee appointments and joint assembly. The second—with reports and memorial exercises. The third election of officers and sight-seeing.

Successful Year
The administration, from reports, closed a very successful year financially and even in the scarceness of labor and other general depressions of our followers we are holding our own and the Grand Old Order still stands on its merits as one of the best in existence.

The program committee had filled every minute of spare time with social affairs inviting the public Tuesday to the delegates reception who gave the welcome address and who without question holds the confidence of every colored citizen of Davenport. Reply by Harry E. Dilson, D. G. Sec., Des Moines, followed by the usual program of such occasion. The meeting closed with short talks by D. G. M. Harris, Des Moines, and D. M. N. G., Thorp, Cedar Rapids. Wednesday night, Jubilee Manager by D. G. Jubilee Manager Inmate Williams, Sioux City, and an exceptionally fine program was rendered also a beautiful bed spread was given away. The ticket selling prize was won by Inmate Askew of Sioux City, which was an eight-piece Haviland china tea set. Thursday evening, installation of officers by D. G. Trustee Rev. G. O. Terrill, Des Moines, Iowa. They adjourned to meet at Council Bluffs, August 1930. New officers elected were: F. J. Harris, D. G. M., Des Moines; E. J. Gilbert, D. D. G. M., Council Bluffs; Harry E. Wilson, D. G. Sec., Des Moines; D. T. Mosely, D. G. Treasurer, Des Moines; F. N. Hynum, D. G. Director, Davenport; J. Jordan, D. G. Organizer, Ottumwa; C. H. Rhonie, D. G. Chaplin, Des Moines; O. J. Winston, D. G. Warden, Ottumwa; Gus Nichols, D. G. Guardian, Des Moines; Rev. G. O. Terrill, D. G. Trustee, Des Moines. The Grand House Hold of Ruth didn't elect this year.

PRESENT DRAMA AT ST. PAUL
"Mary of Bethany" a sacred drama and cantata was presented to a large and appreciative audience at St. Paul church Sunday, August 18. The characters were: Mary, Miss Virginia Mackay; Martha, Miss Mary Holmes; Lazarus, Miss Hazel Patten. Mrs. Estella Broomfield director of dramatics; music by the Junior choir directed by Mr. W. J. Shepherd.

Plan to Organize Negro Business League

Recognizing the necessity of an organization of Negro business men for the purpose of working for their mutual interest and that of their customers, a few interested men met at the Community Center Monday night and formed the Business League of Des Moines.

Three definite objects were laid down along which their efforts would be directed: first, to work for better business institutions among the Negroes themselves; second, to educate the Negro people to patronize their own institutions and the white concerns which co-operate with the Negro; third, to work for better industrial opportunities for Negroes.

The following officers were elected, James B. Morris, Pres., and James W. Mitchell, secretary-treasurer.

To Give Pageant Thursday Night

The pageant, "Ethiopia at the Bar of Justice" which was first put on in this city last December and repeated at Osceola, Iowa, last Saturday with a greatly strengthened cast of thirty of Des Moines' best stage artists, by special request, is to be reproduced at St. Paul A. M. E. church, Thursday evening, August 29th.

This pageant depicts the history of the American Negro from the time the first slave was brought from Africa, down to the present day with its business and professional men and its modern church services. Everyone who saw it before will be anxious to see it again and those who failed to see it before should not miss this is possibly their last opportunity.

Tickets are now in the hands of all the participants.

MRS. BROWN GUEST RECEPTION HONORING MRS. DE PRIEST

Mrs. S. Joe Brown past International Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star who spent last week in Chicago, attending the International Conference of that Order, returned last Friday evening and reports a very successful meeting.

Mrs. Brown who is the author of the History of the O. E. S. among Colored people was one of the principal speakers on their program. Among the many social courtesies extended Mrs. Brown while in Chicago was the invitation to the Terrace Garden where a formal reception was held honoring Mrs. Oscar De Priest, wife of Congressman De Priest on her return to the city. This affair was arranged and carried out by the ladies of the First Congressional district where Congressman and Mrs. De Priest reside.

N. A. A. C. P. QUERIES LAW ENFORCEMENT REGARDING ITS BRIEF ON LYNCHING AND MOB VIOLENCE

New York, Aug. 19—James Weldon Johnson, Secretary of the N. A. A. C. P. made public today a letter written to Hon. George W. Wickersham, Chairman of the Commission on Law Enforcement and Observance. The letter, dated August 12th, calls attention to a former communication sent the Commission, with accompanying data, relating to lynchings and crimes of violence against colored citizens and requesting that the N. A. A. C. P. be permitted to be represented before the Commission at such hearings as might be held. Specific inquiry is made as to whether either of the eleven fields of study marked out for special study by sub-committees of the Commission will cover the problem of lawlessness set forth in previous communications and data submitted to the Commission by the N. A. A. C. P.

Free Afters 18 Years in Prison

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 23—Aged and broken in health there sits today among the members of his family from whom he was separated 18 long years, old Jim Richardson, waiting patiently and hopefully that the Georgia legislature will pass a bill to pay him \$2,700 in recompense for 18 years in prison for a murder he did not commit.

Old Jim, broken in body, mind and in spirit, came out of his convict garb too late to be regenerated, and today he sits about his little tenement home in Rockdale Park, a suburb, unable to work and proving a burden on the family which was without his help when he was going through the prime of life behind prison walls.

But Richardson is not remorseful. He is too overjoyed at his freedom. He holds malice toward no one. Only luck for all.

On a dark night in the early part of this century William Smith (white), a convict guard in the town of Bolton, a suburb of Atlanta, was found murdered. There were no clues. The police were mystified. Smith, from all appearances had been drinking, but there was no indication of a scuffle previous to the murder. No motive could be found.

Start Big Man Hunt

A posse started on one of the greatest man hunts in the history of this section, it is said. "Somehow it came upon Jim Richardson, an honest, hard-working colored man living a short distance from Smith's home. Jim, too, had been drinking and admitted that fact when interviewed by the writer. The posse put two and two together and Jim was taken to jail, charged with the murder of Smith, without any evidence whatsoever against him. Jim was alone. He had no friends. He had been a day laborer and it took his every cent to provide for his home and family, so the employing of a lawyer to defend him was out of the question. Jim went to court and the judge appointed for him a young lawyer of little ability and doubtful reputation. In fact, a white man had been killed and justice for a black man was out of the question in the south. Richardson's lawyer figured he would have a better chance of escaping the death penalty if he entered a plea of guilty and seek mercy, though Jim himself insisted he should plead not guilty.

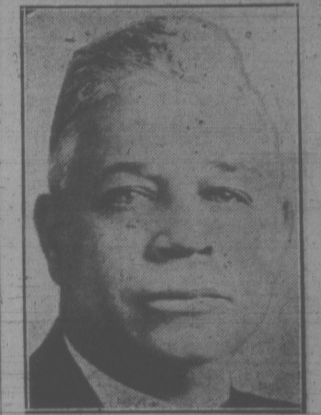
In the end, in his sorrow, Richardson took the advice of his court-appointed lawyer and entered a plea of guilty and an appeal for mercy which won for him a sentence of life imprisonment. The proceedings of the trial lasted only 25 minutes.

Last year a white man and former neighbor of Richardson and Smith was dying in Atlanta. He called for William Carmichael, a white friend of his, and said that he had something he wanted to confess before he left this world.

To Carmichael Moore confessed the murder of Smith. It is said that he died with a prayer on his lips, begging for the forgiveness of the black man he had wronged, Jim Richardson. The confession was promptly laid before the prison commission and the governor and a full pardon granted Richardson. It was a happy day for him and his fellow convicts when the papers arrived. His grown children were waiting for him outside the gates to welcome him home.

Jim Richardson has all his hopes on the state of Georgia, that it will pay him for the injustice that has been done. There is little doubt but that the \$2,700 appropriation will be approved, but will it pay him for all the suffering and hardships of the long 18 years which are lost to him forever? Richardson is too good to say it won't, he says it will help.

Sole Negro Member Of Congress to Speak Here Next Month



OSCAR DEPRIEST, M. C.

Seek New Methods In Negro Business

Indianapolis, Ind., August 21—In an effort to orient themselves along commercial lines 300 Negro business men and women from all sections of the country representing businesses aggregating 100 million dollars of assets spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 14-16, here attending the 20th annual meeting of the National Negro Business League. Retail merchandising among Negroes was the general topic which engaged the attention of the delegates and visitors.

The League was organized in 1900 by Booker T. Washington to promote the commercial and financial development of the Negro. One hundred and sixty-three local organizations in 34 states are affiliated with the League promoting its program. Dr. Robert R. Moton, principal of Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, is the present president.

Speakers of both races addressed the convention presenting statistical data and making interpretations of the present status of the Negro in business and suggesting means by which he may be enabled to meet competition not only from the small independent white merchant, but also that of the chain stores particularly in the grocery business.

Suggests Program

Harry H. Pace, president of the Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company of Chicago, offered the practice of the slogan, "Organize, advertise and patronize" as the one road to business achievement among Negroes. "We must organize our business efficiently. We must advertise our products regularly. And we must buy in larger quantities from Negro merchants. In this approach to the business problems of the race Mr. Pace was supported by a number of business leaders of the race, notably F. B. Ransom, manager of the Walker Manufacturing Company, a million-dollar enterprise, in the auditorium of which the sessions were held; and Fred R. Moore, editor of the New York Age.

Efficiency and Service Counts
Challenging this attitude was that of Roy J. Barker who operates three grocery stores in Kansas City. Mr. Barker agreed that the Negro merchant needed to organize and advertise, but added that the appeal of race loyalty is insufficient. "The Negro Merchant," he said, "must deliver the goods in quality and service equal to that of the whites and then he will not limit his trade to his race." In business there should be no color line. The consumer wants quality and service. The black consumer as well as the

Congressman Oscar De Priest, the only Negro member of the United States Congress, and who is the first ever elected north of the Mason and Dixon line, and the first ever elected from any congressional district in the past thirty years, is to visit Des Moines on September 13th.

Congressman DePriest represents the First Congressional District of Illinois, which includes the loop district in the city of Chicago and is therefore, one of the richest congressional districts in America.

He bears the distinction of having been the first member of his race elected to membership in the City Council in Chicago and the first to be elected to the office of County Commissioner in Cook County, Ill., which is analogous to the office of County Supervisor in Iowa.

Congressman De Priest comes to the city under the auspices of the Des Moines Interracial Commission of which Atty. Casper Schenck is president; and is being arranged for by a special committee composed of Mrs. S. Joe Brown, as chairman, Prof. H. T. Steeper of North High School as Secretary, Prof. H. H. Weeks, of Lincoln High School, Hon. Harvey Ingham of the Register and Tribune-Capital and Sec. Geo. W. Webber of the Y. M. C. A.

White Shriners Re-Open Case Against Negro

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 22—After a week of gayety, parades and other activities during their convention in Chicago, conformation was thrown into the camp of the Ancient Egyptian Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine when news reached them that a bill of injunction had been filed against them by the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, through their attorney, J. Chester Kitchen.

The bill, filed under caption of "Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North and South America vs. Caesar, R. Blake, Imperial Potentate of the Ancient Egyptian Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North and South America, and all of its Officers," was presented before Walter P. Steffen, judge of the superior court of Cook county last Thursday morning.

The Arabic order, in its petition to the court, alleged that the Egyptian order had no right to use its rituals, emblems, nor to wear the regalia that they are now wearing. They set up in the petition that these are exclusive property rights, copyrights and patent rights of the Arabic order.

Attorney S. A. T. Watkins, attorney for the Egyptian order of the Shrine, appeared before Judge Steffen on behalf of his order. Atty. Watkins told the court that they had perfect right to the use of rituals and other paraphernalia of the mystic order. Judge Steffen ordered both sides to be ready to argue on this point in September and the case was assigned to Judge Dennis Sullivan of the superior court.

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white will buy where he will get these whether from a white or colored dealer. We must cease trying to sell race loyalty over the counter. We must deliver the goods." Bert M. Roddy, vice-president at large of the league; Claude A. Barnett, director of the Associated Negro Press, and others agreed with Mr. Barker that quality, service and courtesy are more compelling appeals than race loyalty.

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BEGIN EARLY

Every indication points to a lively campaign in the city, county and state primary next spring. Congressman De Priest is traveling over the country telling Negroes to organize so as to take advantage of their political and economic opportunities. He will be here next month and will have something to say to the Des Moines Negro along these lines.

Efforts have been made to organize before, some of which have been fairly successful and others miserable failures. However, the latter is no reason why we should not try again. On the other hand the experience gained by the success and failures ought to serve to make future organizations better.

Last year some candidates were elected by majorities of less than a thousand. It was pretty well proven last year that there are thirty-five hundred Negro votes in Des Moines. This vote can be the balance of power if it is properly organized. Now is the time to begin.

FINDING THE DEFECTS

T. Arnold Hill, industrial secretary of the Urban League has just completed a survey of employment conditions for Negroes in cities in the northwest and on the Pacific coast. We quote his summary which is as follows:

What he has to say with regard to southern influence on the coast has no application to industry because the southerner has been liberal about employing Negroes.

"While the Negro population of the cities on the West coast is growing steadily each year, there has been very little advance in occupations. While both old and new citizens are loud in their praise of the advantages offered on the coast, they are critical of the limited opportunities in vocations. This criticism has reached the point in the Northwest and in the cities in the northern part of California that organizations of the Urban League have been requested to cope with the situation. For the young people the whole coast region is discouraging, there being very little outlet for their talents. Los Angeles is growing more rapidly than other cities in the West and Negroes are making progress in the moving picture industry as well as in small businesses of their own. But even here the jobs commonly done by Negroes in the East are offered Orientals and Mexicans.

"Some of the newer cities, for instance Kelso and Longview, are restricting Negroes to poor residential sections as well as most arduous and menial tasks. The influence of the South due to an increasing number of white Southerners from Texas and Louisiana has made some of these smaller communities look like Southern cities, in that they reserve the best located and well kept sections of the city for whites and restrict Negroes to the most undesirable sections of the city. Happily this is not true of the larger cities where beautiful homes can be found in practically all sections of them."

His conclusions apply to Des Moines very well. In the northwest Negroes are still somewhat in the pioneer stage; they came to this part of the country to be servants and many white men still think of them as such.

The Negro in America

By J. G. Browne

There are many things for us to learn in this life that will make our progress evident, and one is to know the value of time.

"Time is money," "Time is music," "Time is the essence of a contract." To be punctual is a necessary requisite to reliability. All of us are aware of the fact that our local entertainments are too long. We waste too much valuable time in non-essentials, when we go to hear a distinguished guest, it is very tiresome to have to listen to an address from every member of the entertaining committee first. It shows a lack of appreciation for the comfort and well-being of an audience to tire it out with a lot of silly introductions when they have come for one specific purpose. Intelligent people often refuse to come to our entertainments for that very reason.

Never tire your audience out by over-looking them, make your program short and snappy. In addressing people all ways leave them longing for more, then they are anxious to come again, but if you saturate them, it is good-bye forever.

We remember going to the Hippodrome in the city of Chicago that advertised a continuous performance, there were eighteen vaudeville acts, we have never had any desire to go there since. "Brevity is soul of wit." We are afloat in many things we do if we will only learn how to keep step.

Let us practice starting promptly and closing within a reasonable time and we will find that our attendance to entertainments of worth will increase.

Take Francis Body to Tenn. For Interment

(Special to Iowa Bystander)

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 16.—William Trevan Francis, minister to Liberia, today came back to the city, where as he had grown up to become one of the nation's diplomats.

But Minnesota's welcome to her favorite son was one of deep sadness; he, whom long ago she had revered and requested in the highest esteem was present in spirit only.

Early on the morning of June 15, in far away Liberia he succumbed to yellow fever and paid the supreme sacrifice in the service of his country.

All that was earthly reposed in a magnificent bronze metallic casket.

Mrs. Francis Faithful
His devoted widow, Mrs. Nellie G. Francis, undaunted by the grim vigil and loyal to the end brought him back to the soil of the land he loved so well.

Landing Thursday, Mrs. Francis was met in New York by Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, editor of the Crisis; James Yeldon Johnson, Mrs. Inez Redd; widow of the late Dr. Redd of Minneapolis; members of the Boule fraternity and Masonic brethren, who, through the instructions of J. H. Dillingham, grand master of Minnesota, paid their last respects to one who was a past grand master and an honorary member of the Minnesota grand chapter. Representatives of the State department were also present.

Masons Take Charge
Reaching Minneapolis, Pioneer Lodge, A. F. and A. M. took charge of the body, which was removed to Pioneer hall, where it laid in state until the hour of the funeral.

At 2 o'clock the remains were borne to Pilgrim Baptist church, where for more than 30 years he retained his membership. Strange to relate, Mr. Francis, one of the oldest and most faithful members, was the first for whom funeral services were held in the new \$60,000 edifice.

More than 600 persons of both races from every walk of life were present and many stood during the services which began at 2:30.

Members of the Cosmopolitan Club attended in a body. Representatives of the State department, Mr. Thomas

still think of them as such only, educated by such organizations as the Urban League that Negroes do fit into industry, can work along with white people and should be given an opportunity to make a living based upon standards set for others following the same class of employment.

Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

SYMPTOMS

Pain will cause anyone to seek medical advice, as a rule, not because of its probable seriousness but because it is not pleasurable. No one cares to suffer and that's just human. Pain is sometimes indicative of serious disorder and at other times significant of temporary trifling alterations in the action of some organ. Pain is always a valuable indication of something not as it should be. There are other symptoms which do not claim the attention to the same extent but which are nevertheless just as important as pain and sometimes more so.

Progressive loss of weight beyond a certain point should be looked into. Cough over any period longer than usual; dizziness; headache often; shortness of breath; a constant tired feeling; expectoration of an unusual amount of sputum; blood spitting; loss of appetite; vomiting or nausea; inability to sleep at night; stiffness in the joints; itching of the skin; constant constipation; sore throat often; and loss of strength. These are important if present and should be eliminated after their true significance is ascertained.

The present health of the individual is important because it relates to his present efficiency but if he neglects any symptom and keeps going without the needed advice and regulation what of his future health and efficiency. So called constitutional diseases as Diabetes and Bright's Disease are too often neglected, those afflicted taking their chances beyond any reasonable safety limit. No symptom ought to be neglected and certainly not any disease of known existence.

LIBERIA GOING FORWARD FAST, SAYS DR. TAYLOR

Tuskegee Vice Principal Brings Good Reports from African Republic, and Also from the Gold Coast

London, Aug. 14.—(Special Correspondence)—"If I were still a young man, with my way to make in the world, I should unhesitatingly go out to Africa," was the statement made to me by Dr. R. R. Taylor, Vice Principal of Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, the great Negro educational center founded by Booker Washington. He has just arrived in London after a visit to Liberia and the Gold Coast. He received a special invitation from the President of Liberia; to give the Negro republic the benefit of his experience and advice concerning the foundation of a Liberian "Tuskegee," for which a sum of \$75,000 was recently left by the late Miss Olivia Phelps-Stokes, of the well-known American family whose members have supported so many schemes for Negro progress.

Daniels, first secretary of embassy of U. S. of America; Judge Beckhoefer, district court and other prominent men and women were present.

Body to Nashville
Following the services the body was taken to the Union Station to be shipped for interment in Nashville, Tenn., the home of Mrs. Francis' relatives.

Piney Woods Pupils Fete Teachers

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 12.—(Special to the Bystander).—The National Association of Teachers in Colored Schools came to Mississippi last week and made a wonderfully helpful impression in race relationship. Twice during the week, the large municipal auditorium was filled with colored people from all over the country. It made a large, well dressed colorful audience of intelligently acting race people.

MUSCATINE, IOWA

I've been told:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson left for their home in Cedar Rapids after spending a week in the city visiting relatives and friends. Abraham Seabrooks formerly of this city but now residing in Davenport came to Muscatine Monday to visit relatives and friends and attend the barbecue picnic in Weed Park given by Bethel A. M. E. church. Mrs. Alice Thompson returned last week from Buffalo, N. Y., where she attended the National convention of Chiropractors and reported a grand time. The 1930 convention will convene in Detroit, Mich. Her business was left in charge of Mrs. Laura Harris. Mr. and Mrs. William Davis entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson of Cedar Rapids last Thursday. Mrs. Genevieve Trumble returned after spending a reported pleasant time at her home in Chicago Friday visit with relatives and friends in the city. She was accompanied by her uncle, Morrell Lloyd. Rev. Harris and Henry Smith made a business trip to Wilton, Iowa, Saturday. Mrs. and Mr. Henry Smith entertained their brother William Mitchell and Genevieve Feunble at dinner Sunday. There were no announcements. Richard Thompson left for Chicago last week to make his future home with relatives. Mr. William Mitchell, a popular young man of Muscatine, has been seen in company with a certain young lady quite often of late. When interviewed by the Bystander reporter he only returned a broad smile.

OTTUMWA, IOWA, NEWS

Mrs. T. L. Allen of Chicago was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson, 402 So. Lillian St. She also visited relatives in Oskaloosa and Fairfield. Mrs. Lydia Greenup, 550 W. Mill St., was called to Mason City last week owing to the serious illness of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kipper. She was accompanied by Margaret Lucile Donnegan. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moss and Mrs. Ellen Donnegan motored to Bucknell Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Lobbins. Rev. T. T. Lovelace of Chicago has accepted the pastorate of the Second Baptist Church. Rev. Lovelace and J. O. Winston, left Monday to attend the Iowa South Dakota Baptist Association, which convenes in Waterloo this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis, 525 Center Ave., are visiting in Chicago the guests of Mrs. Davis' son, George King, who is pharmacist there. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jordan have returned

Miss Carter Directs Band

The silver cornet band from the famous Piney Woods School, trained by Prof. C. Unash from Iowa City, Iowa, furnished music for the auditorium nights. It was the first time a colored band had played in the city auditorium. A unique feature was the directing of the band by a little colored girl, Miss Consuela Carter, whom Prof. Unash has taught to be a real director. The audience of ten thousand people went wild in applause when this little slender brown girl stood with baton in hand directing a spirited march with the enthusiasm of a John Phillip Sousa.

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spent in Iowa and Missouri. Mrs. and Mr. Lou Hawkins and two daughters, Bernice and Arlene, left for a two weeks' trip in Missouri. Little Charlotte Mae Edwards who has been suffering from a serious accident to her hand, is able to be out again. The younger set, entertained out of town guests, Sunday at a picnic at Memorial Park. Mrs. Tina Davis has been appointed agent for the Bystander. Please phone your news to Red 3074.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA, NEWS

Mrs. A. M. Davis

Bethel A. M. E. Church Sunday School and morning services are rapidly increasing. Sermon at 11 A. M. The choir sang an old melody which expressed his sermon. The Industrial Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Grace Walker Tuesday night. The Junior Choir will meet at Mrs. Joyce Thursday evening. All members please be present. There will be an entertainment given by the West Side Fidelity Club, Sept. 6. Every one please come out and help. The West Side Fidelity Club meets at the home of Mrs. Gibson, 124 K Ave., W., Tuesday night, Pres. Ortho Davis, Sec.-E. Rogers. The celebration, Aug. 6, at Mt. Zion Church grounds should long be remembered. After the Mayor Loftus and Mayor Rall spoke, our Rev. B. Lucas gave a wonderful address. He told of the lives of our foreparents, their children and down to this generation and how they received their education and how they are standing now in the world ready to take their places as men. Our men in these enterprises and various lines are progressing. He also touched on the condition of Cedar Rapids and how to awaken our fellow men to see our need and let those that are qualified to have a place in life. As an honorable citizen in his closing remarks he cited a few things that touched the keen sight of every thinking man's mind. Much credit is given to Rev. A. M. Smith and his last exhortation was "We are awake". To further prove that we were awake, he had a little girl about twelve years old to recite the Proclamation address of Abraham Lincoln and give each article. Rev. A. M. Smith, wife and Rev. J. Love, Mrs. William and Mildred Tate left for Waterloo, Iowa, to attend the Association. Rev. A. M. Smith and Love will represent the church. Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Smith the Mission Circle and Mildred Tate the Junior, Rev. Harris and wife of Rock Island visited at Mt. Zion Baptist church Sunday after spending a few days in Cedar Rapids visiting friends. The colored girls went to Camp Waspie Aug. 9. They received the honor roll this year. Miss Ruth Collins, a former Coe College student, assisted Mrs. A. M. Davis with the girls. We wish to thank the Rev. B. Lucas, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. and Rev. Smith, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist and Mrs. Johnson for their untiring service rendered to our girls while out to camp. Long may we remember them and their works to us that we might grow. The band directed by Wm. Thompson, played while the crowds of Cedar Rapids and out of town people enjoyed the refreshments. Mrs. Charley Dorsey is sick. Mrs. W. M. Thompson is home again from Iowa City where she had her tonsils removed. The Industrial Club of the Y. W. C. A. will have a house to house campaign for the next two weeks. This department is doing work to help our colored girls and we are sure you are going to give them your support. The Industrial Club of Mt. Zion Baptist will have a fair Thursday and Friday on the church grounds. Pres. Lucile Maupins, Sec. Mrs. Mable Brown.

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IOWA CITY, IOWA, NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Saulsbury spent the past week in Fairfield visiting with Mrs. Geo. Edwards, aunt of Mrs. Saulsbury. The young couple spent one day in Keosauqua with friends. Wednesday they motored to Mt. Pleasant with Mrs. Dabner and daughter Martha and Mrs. Edwards, Thursday evening they motored to Washington and attended a show with Thomas Ciele and Mrs. Edwards. The couple returned to Iowa City Sunday evening. Mr. Ciele, uncle of Mrs. Saulsbury, motored them home. Mrs. Price and mother, Mrs. Ellis, accompanied them. The young couple reported a delightful vacation.

ROCK ISLAND, ILL., NEWS

By Luell Williams

Mrs. E. C. Golden returned home last week from the Eastern Star convention at Carbondale, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. C. Albert are the happy parents of twins. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Houston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Houston and family, Mrs. Minnie Anson and Mrs. C. E. Golden are motoring to Springfield Friday. They will visit relatives and friends there. On Monday, Aug. 26th a supper will be given by the Second Baptist Church at the Masonic Hall at 15th Ave., and 11th St. Plans are being made to make this occasion a success. The Tri-City Rock Island, Moline and East Moline Sunday School picnic was held at the Longview Park in Rock Island, Thursday, Aug. 15. A large crowd attended. There were also several visitors from Davenport. In the afternoon various contests were held. A large number of young people were there. Mr. Lyell Williams, Davenport, agent for the Bystander is endeavoring to gain new subscribers. All old subscribers are asked to give him their support.

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Society and Clubs

EDITED BY Miss Agnes Cortez Drew

Mrs. Mary Miles, 817 W. 10th St., has just returned to the city after a five weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Bessie Lewis in Minneapolis, and also a number of friends in St. Paul. She reported a very pleasant trip.

The young people's 500 Club was entertained by Miss Aleta Guinn, Friday, August 16, at the Community Center. They will be entertained by Miss Julia Manuel, Friday, August 23.

Mrs. Lena Wilson, Mrs. Alice Ward mother of Mrs. A. P. Trotter, and Miss Natalie Bragg and Mr. Edward McCoy returned from Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Johnson was hostess to the La Mercadia Club Wednesday.

The American Legion and Auxiliary enjoyed a social evening Tuesday at the Center.

Have you started your piece for the Community Center Art exhibit late in the fall?

Phi Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority met Wednesday. They planned an interesting fall program.

The C. I. R. O. F. R. I., meet each Thursday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the Community Center. New members are cordially invited.

Mrs. Alice Ward, mother of Mrs. A. P. Trotter, who has been visiting her daughter for several weeks returned to her home Thursday morning at Muskegee, Okla.

The next meeting of the Community Forum will be in charge of the Automobile Workers. The program will be of interest to the public. This meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 9.

Miss Allie Winston who has been visiting relatives and friends for several weeks in Centerville, returned to the city Sunday, August 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Haulsey McPike and Mrs. Maude Anderson all of St. Louis, Mo., stopped in the city a few days at the home of Miss Mayne Diggs, enroute to St. Paul, Minn. They also stopped a few days on their return trip, and left Tuesday morning for their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennell Diggs and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Beckton entertained at dinner Monday evening, August 19, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Haulsey McPike and Mrs. Maude Anderson all of St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. A. P. Trotter entertained at a midnight luncheon, Monday evening, August 19, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Haulsey McPike and Mrs. Maude Anderson, a number of her friends.

Mrs. Drew Williams is home from the Mercy Hospital where she underwent a serious operation. She is under the care of Dr. H. H. London and is feeling fine.

Mrs. Ruth Foster of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Julia Sample of Chicago, Ill., both of whom were visiting their parents Mrs. Alma Edwards, and Mrs. Ruth Murray, respectively, were entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murray. They reported a delightful stay in our city.

I. B. S. A. International Sunday School meets at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth, 1417 Stewart St., every Sunday from 3:30 to 4:30. Visitors welcome.

Mrs. Lillian Cary and daughters Barbara and Permelia of Chicago, Ill., were entertained at dinner Sunday, August 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Walden, 3019 Amherst.

Mrs. Bessie Mason-Larkin of Los Angeles is here visiting her mother.

Mrs. Laura A. Mason, 1900 Searle St. The Royal Eight Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Zella Brown, hostess Wednesday evening. Club guest Mrs. Galetha Trotter and Miss Mayne L. Diggs.

BEREAN MISSION OPENS

The Berean Mission will be opened Sunday, August 25th at 8 p. m., at 1208 Center Street, by Mr. A. C. Chatman. All christian workers are invited to help in this cause.

Rev. Mrs. Florence B. Schooler will preach at St. Paul A. M. E. church, 12th and Crocker streets, Tuesday, August 27 at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to hear her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams, on 4th street, are the proud parents of a nine-and-one-fourth-pound baby-boy, born August 22. Mrs. Adams and son are resting easy at this writing.

Mr. Gordon H. Kitchen, secretary of the Crocker Street Branch of the Y. M. C. A., and Mr. G. B. Tucker left Saturday, Aug. 17 by motor for Kansas City, Mo., and Little Rock, Ark., for a few weeks visit.

Mrs. Emma Spruell of Detroit, Mich. who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Margaret M. Patten returned to her home Friday, August 23.

Stewart and Stanley Jackson from Milwaukee, Wis., were here visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Diggs, 1033 Fourth St. Place They left Tuesday for their home.

Mrs. Anna Cross of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting Mr. H. C. Thomas, 2623 Chester Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bogan, 833 E. 24th St., have just returned from a two weeks trip by motor through southern Iowa and Missouri. They reported a wonderful time.

Delegates from Des Moines attending the Shriners convention in Chicago last week were: J. W. Morrow, William Rhodes, John Rhodes, Roy Bird, Roy Podd, Sam Rhone, B. Hyde, Commodore Hendricks, Wm. Oney, James Woods, Harry Seymour, Wm. Jones, John L. Thompson and Fred Morrow attended the Master Masons conclave.

Messrs. J. L. McGuire and L. P. McGuire motored to Chicago Saturday, August 17, to spend their vacation.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Katie Austin was born in Howard County, Missouri, October 26, 1849. At an early age she was united in marriage to Reece Hieronymous. To this union were born eight children: Charlie, Tommy, Rosa, Winnie, Blackburn, Fanny, Harry and Wesley.

She became a member of the A. M. E. church in Kansas City; later she moved to Des Moines, and placed her membership in St. Paul A. M. E. church under Rev. W. H. Griffin. She departed this life Friday, August 16, 1929, at the age of 80 years, four months and ten days.

Deceased is survived by five children, fourteen grand children and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, Monday afternoon. Rev. G. W. Williams officiating. The funeral was in charge of Mr. Tug W. Wilson, manager of Jones-Wilson funeral home. Interment was at Glendale cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown at the time of the death of our mother and for their beautiful floral tributes. We also extend thanks to Rev. G. W. Williams who conducted the services and Mr. T. W. Wilson of the Jones-Wilson Funeral Home for his kind and efficient service.

Mrs. Rosa Woods and family.

Pay our boys when they call on you.

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Miss Dorothy Morrison, secretary to Dr. J. A. Jefferson, left for Illinois Sunday where she will spend a three weeks vacation visiting relatives.

Miss Meldna Greene of Plattsburg Mo., returned home Friday night after spending over six weeks in the city.

OBITUARY

Velmer Moore, age 42 years died Sunday, August 11, 1929 at the Tubercular Hospital after six months illness. Funeral services were held at L. Fowler & Son Funeral Home, 1701 Walker Street, Thursday, August 15 at 2 o'clock with Rev. H. L. Overton officiating. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, four brothers and four sisters and a host of friends.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved husband and brother Velmer Moore and also for the beautiful floral offerings. We also wish to thank Rev. H. L. Overton for his kind remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their splendid service.

FORT DODGE, IOWA, NEWS

By Rev. Wm. Brown

Mrs. Lockman who has been sick for some time is still ill. Mrs. Dan Lockman, her grandson, has a baby boy added to his home. Dan is all smiles these days. Junior Wilson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, is much better. Our two pastors, Rev. Hubbard and Rev. Coggs are very busy preparing for their conference and association. Each of them has had a busy year, trying to keep their work up to the standard. All of the church clubs of the Second Baptist church are working hard to keep the church above the tide. The same is true of Coppin Chapel A. M. E. Mother Benning is better. Mr. Ross Johnson is getting along fairly well and says he is doing fine business among our group. Mrs. J. T. Woods who was in Iowa City hospital for treatment is feeling very good, notwithstanding the loss of one eye. Mr. John Kemper left Fort Dodge for Chicago on Saturday night where he hopes to find work. Mrs. L. Lomas and son James, are not enjoying very good health. Miss Nellie Walker is spending the summer at the lakes. We hope for her a pleasant stay and safe return. Mrs. Ash of Richards is in the city taking care of grandmother Lockman; Mrs. Ash is a great nurse. Mr. Lute Raglan has returned from Chicago where he attended the Masonic conclave. Mr. John Downing, wife, daughter, Miss Therlyne and Mrs. Maggie Wilson drove out Sunday and had a grand time sightseeing. Rev. Coggs, wife, and Mrs. S. S. Lewis left early Monday as delegates to the Baptist Association which convenes in Waterloo. Mrs. Frank Johnson returned from

DAVENPORT, IOWA, NEWS

By Lyell Williams

Mrs. J. C. Bothic returned Saturday to the city after holding meetings in Ottumwa and Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. Mrs. Gertrude Miller of Davenport and Mrs. C. Graves, formerly of Ottumwa, Iowa, the Third Baptist Church Sunday morning, Aug. 18. Mrs. Letty Webster and her niece, Miss Letty Smith, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tuqua, 1515 Eastern Ave. Mrs. Webster, is a sister of Mrs. Eva Tuqua. The Willing Workers Club, 2 Mrs. Bradshaw, president, met at the home of Mrs. Zula Peoples last Tuesday. The club was entertained by Mr. Roy Smith. Mr. B. T. Hopkins, 1408 Christie St., was the owner of a refreshment and metal stand at the Mississippi Valley Fair here Aug. 11-17. Mr. T. N. Bynum left the city Sunday, Aug. 18 for Mound Junction, Illinois, to attend the Grand Session of the U. B. F. Mr. Bynum is Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master of that organization. Rev. A. C. Moore, pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. Church preached Sunday morning on "The Salt of the Earth". In the afternoon a quarterly meeting was held at the church. On Monday evening a quarterly conference was held. Rev. Moore is preparing for the Methodist conference. The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows convened in Davenport Aug. 13-15. The following officers were elected. Grand Master Ernest of Des Moines, Deputy Grand Master Gilber of Council Bluffs;

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Des Moines where she spent most of the summer. We are glad to see her among us once more. Our people are taking once more the Bystander since the old reporter is again on the job. The A. C. E. League rendered a sacred program, Sunday evening, conducted by the president, Mrs. L. Lewis. The league is taking on new life under her leadership since the district conference. The Booster's club gave a Tacky Social Monday, Aug. 19, President, Mrs. H. Bordeaux. The fried chicken supper which was given at the home of Mrs. L. Anderson under the auspices of the Richard Allen Club, Mrs. B. Birdsall, Pres., was a grand success. Mrs. Dean Cree of New Orleans, La., and grandson are visiting her son, J. W. Madison.

YANKTON, S. D., NEWS

By Mrs. H. Blakey

Rev. H. L. Marion preached a very interesting sermon Sunday afternoon at the Second Baptist Church. Some of the young people enjoyed a nice outing and lunch down on the river bank Sunday afternoon. The out of town guests were two young men from Brookings, S. D., Rev. Moore of the Second Baptist Church preached at Sioux Falls the first Sunday. Several cars from Yankton motored over to Sioux Falls to attend the sermon. Mr. Alvin Hayes and Mr. Lorenzo Spence motored from Sioux City the first Sunday and spent a few happy hours with relatives of this city. Rev. J. S. Strong, pastor of the A. M. E. Church is still on the sick list but the church is moving on.

FORT MADISON, IA., NEWS

By Mrs. L. A. P. Jones

All of the churches held their regular service Sunday to a fair congregation. Those on the list are Mrs. Lucy King, Mrs. W. G. Harding, Mrs. Izetta Brown, Mrs. Millie Moore, Mrs. Blanch Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mack, Mrs. Nellie Isaac, Mrs. R. H. Anderson. Hazel Marie Whittaker and Pauline Rudi were guests of Helen Virginia Bates and spent the night and also Floyd Mitchell, Mrs. L. A. P. Jones, Alberta Mae Jones were breakfast guests of Ethel Mae Clay was dinner guest of Alberta Mae Jones. Miss E. Henderson of La Bell, Mo., is house guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris, pastor of the Second Baptist church. She left for her home Saturday. The entertainment given by the Harriet Wayman Women's Mite Missionary Society at home of Mrs. Bettie Bamister Clark was a grand success. There will be a fish fry at the home of Mrs. Richard H. Anderson, Thursday night, Aug. 22, 2101 Ave. N. You are invited. Our week program commences Monday, Aug. 26 for the entire week. Monday, Aug. 26, Rev. G. W. Clark; Tuesday night, Aug. 27, Sunday School; Wednesday night, Aug. 28, Madam Jennette Morton, Bethel Church, Keokuk; Thursday night, Aug. 29, Dunbar Program, Second Baptist Church; Friday night, Aug. 30, Rev. J. E. Tunstall and choir of New Hope Methodist Church, Saturday, Aug. 31, Closing a big lawn social at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth and Mrs. Hampton, 313 Ave. D. Rev. J. W. Harris, Mrs. Lucy Harris, Mrs. Sallie Rudi, Mrs. Cora Redd, Mr. Raymond Wilkerson are leaving for Waterloo, to attend the Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota Association. The Community Club made the annual visit to the Iowa State Reformatory Wednesday; fully forty people were in the party. Visitors were Mrs. Prescott of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Comer of Marcelline, Mo., Mrs. Lewis of Louisiana, Mo., Rev. J. E. Tunstall, Rev. G. W. Clark left for St. Louis, Mo., Monday to attend the convention. Slow train through Arkansas given by Second Baptist church was a grand success. Rev. Curtis L. Moore the pictorial evangelist, of Decatur, Ill., was in the city this week and spoke on two occasions at Bethel Church, Sunday eve., Aug. 18 his text was "I am the True Vine". John 15. Subject, "The Identity of the Truth and its valuation". Monday eve. Aug. 19, his subject was "The Soul its resources and its disbursements". The speaker made plain the fact that many souls are not filling all the space that is allowed them. In some respects they resemble a pair of gloves or a pair of shoes that are much too large for the wearer. Rev. Moore illustrated sermons and lectures were appreciated by all.

WATERLOO, IOWA, NEWS

By Edna K. Bell

The services at the Antioch Baptist church were well attended Sunday. The pastor, Rev. G. W. Day preached for his morning theme, "God's Expectation of His Church", Isa. 5:2. Preceding the sermon a duet was rendered by Mrs. Geo. Ravell and Mrs. Adelaide Tanner, "Who Is Thine". Bro. H. T. Bell gave as his remarks the necessity of the church sending the pastor to the National Convention, since we can feel justly proud that Rev. Day is programmed to preach during the National Convention week. Visitors Sunday morning were: Mrs. Goggins, Mrs. Jaa, Mitchell and Mrs. Chas.

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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?

Roane of Des Moines, who are house guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Boyle, as well as delegates to the Association. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Reed and family. Mr. Russell Bell was able to resume his duties as secretary of the Sunday school Sunday. Master Paul Houghton has returned from a very pleasant visit with the Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Boyd. We were glad to see him. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Woods entertained at dinner in honor of Mrs. Nancy Allen and Miss Willie Mae Carter who are house guests of Mrs. H. T. Ingram Sunday, the following: Mrs. Edna K. Bell, Miss Nancy Harris, Mr. William Owens, Mr. Vernice Hughes. An enjoyable repast was served. The sick are doing fairly well at Oakdale, Miss. Mildred Hillard and Mrs. Odell Hines Cook. Honored at the Farewell Party: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Joyce 245 Ash St. entertained Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Eugenia Burbridge of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Clark Roberts of St. Louis, Mo. Other guests present were Atty. and Mrs. M. F. Fields, Mrs. Magnolia Sykes, Mrs. Alberta Dent Green, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Ferguson and little daughters. All churches are planning a great gospel feast with the Association and Women's Convention in town. Rev. William Bell returns home from a week stay in Chicago his operation proved successful. Mr. R. S. Joyce was a visitor in Galena Illinois, last week. Mrs. Willie Smith Mrs. Adeline Spencer returned from the Grand Household of Ruth which convened in Davenport, Iowa with 1016 H. H. R. They report a wonderful session. Mrs. Lydia Thorpe, D. G. M. N. G. of H. H. R. No. 21 was a week-end visitor in Waterloo, Sunday with Mrs. Edna K. Bell. Mrs. Eugenia Burbridge left Saturday for her home in Indianapolis, after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Dent. Green. Anyone wishing to subscribe for this paper, may see Master Paul Houghton also pay your delinquent subscription to him, Phone 3342-W. Those delinquent subscribers who promised to pay when the Attorney Morris was here in July are urged to make good their promise to pay.

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