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Man Resists Arrest? Is Slain by Officer

Claims Floridan Attacked Girl; Mobbed by Citizens

QUINCY, Fla., Nov. 14.—Investigation into the lynching of Will Larkins Saturday night was started here today by state and county officers.

Lt. Governor Elected to N. A. A. C. P. Board

New York, Nov. 12.—Herbert H. Lehman, Lieutenant Governor of the State of New York, has accepted membership on the Board of Directors of the N. A. A. C. P., it was announced today.

Prison Supt. Answers Ass'n On Convicts

U. S. PRISONS SUPT. ANSWERS N. A. A. C. P. ON NEGRO CONVICT LEASE REPORT.

Nine Face Death For Murder of Chicago Lawyer

Nine people face the electric chair for the murder of Attorney Octavius Granady, slain candidate for committeeman of the "Bloody" 20th ward.

Saves Man Who Defended Girl From Assailant

New York, Nov. 12.—A Washington police officer who was sentenced to death because he defended his daughter from the advances of a white man, shooting the man as he advanced on the Washington home, has had his death sentence commuted to life imprisonment by the Florida Board of Pardons.

Said to Have Annoyed Women

Detective L. O. Miller of the Des Moines police department shot and killed Virgil Gooding, 29, of 1028 Tenth Street, when he is said to have resisted arrest as Miller was taking him to the police station from the public library where police say he was molesting women.

Minister Wins New Trial To Fight For Life

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 14.—The prayers of the righteous availeth much," declared Rev. Maston Rhodes, when he received the news in the Ohio Penitentiary, where he has been awaiting execution since June, that he had won his fight for a new trial.

ST. PAUL TO HAVE GAME DINNER

For the first time in the history of the city, there will be given at St. Paul A. M. E. church, 12th and Crocker Streets Tuesday November 19th, a real game dinner.

SECOND NEGRO MURDERER DENIED NEW TRIAL, GOES TO PRISON

New York, Nov. 12.—The second white man, of two who murdered colored women in Eros, Louisiana, has now had to accept his conviction and go to prison, according to a report received by the N. A. A. C. P.

Lincoln Post Entertained By Kyles Church

Upon invitation of Rev. P. C. Wilburn, Lincoln Post No. 126 and Auxiliary celebrated Armistice Day at Kyles A. M. E. Z. Church, Monday, the 11th.

Oklahoman Hits At Wife In Divorce Suit

Muskogee, Okla., Nov. 15.—The half million dollar divorce suit brought against Luther Manuel, local business man, by his wife, Fay Louise Manuel of Kansas City, some time ago was reopened here this week.

Waiting for Friend

Miller went to arrest Gooding after police had received reports that a man was accosting women when they entered the library at the west entrance. He found Gooding and asked him what he was waiting for.

Through the Heart

Although dazed by the blow, Miller pulled his revolver from his hip and shot Gooding. The one bullet that was fired went through Gooding's heart, examination at Broadlawn's General hospital disclosed.

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We are sending our subscribers this letter. If you did not get one read it and respond if you owe us.

Dear Subscriber: We want you to read all of this letter even though it is rather long. Possibly you have known the Bystander longer than the writer for this management has been in control of the paper only seven years, but you can testify that it is a far better paper.

Ravens, Ramblers To Stage Battle At Ritz Hall

The Virginia Ravens, one of the fastest colored dance bands on the road, will make their initial debut in Des Moines, Monday, November 18th.

Aviator Relates Experience; Returns to Los Angeles

W. J. POWELL AND J. W. BANNING OF BESSIE COLEMAN AERO CLUB RELATE THRILLING EXPERIENCE; RETURN TO LOS ANGELES.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 17.—One of the guests at the luncheon to Premier Ramsay MacDonald held today at the Hotel Astor was Miss Katherine Gardner, one of the secretaries of the commission on Church and Race Relations of the Federal Council of Churches.

# EDITORIALS

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### U. S. PRISON SYSTEM

The N. A. A. C. P. has called attention of the U. S. superintendent of prisons to a system of leasing convicts prevailing in the Federal prison in Atlanta, Ga., and the further fact that Negro prisoners only are leased to do road work. Few people know that the Federal Government clings to this antiquated system. It is preposterous that the Government should so far lose sight of fair play as to lease the Negro prisoners only.

Of course anyone who knows conditions in the south can readily understand why such a rule would exist there. The southern white man often boasts that he alone knows how to deal with the Negro which means that he alone can and does heap all the injustices on the Negro and gets away with it for even though the laws of the south may be made to apply to all alike, they are seldom enforced.

The N. A. A. C. P. does a real service when it uncovers such discriminatory conditions against Negroes and seeks to remedy them.

### THE WELFARE DRIVE

The Welfare drive will be conducted November 16-23. The money raised will be used to finance the city's charities. Solicitors will be calling on you individually and in your organizations during this time. Mrs. Anna Mae Carter has been appointed captain of a team heading our group. They accept contributions large and small.

Negroes should be interested in this undertaking for among the institutions maintained by the Welfare Bureau are the Community Center, headed by Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, and the Protection Home, headed by Mrs. Gertrude E. Rush. These, with the aid given Negroes by the Family Social Service through Mrs. Jessye McClain, serve practically every Negro family in some way during the year.

Your gift will show the spirit, it will help to main what you have and to gain more in years to come. No one should allow the appeal to go unheeded.

### THE HARLEM VOTE

Harlem did not elect Delaney to Congress because the Negroes did not register and therefore could not vote in sufficient numbers to overcome the strong democratic lead piled up in other districts. Statistics also showed that in some districts where no Negroes vote, Delaney ran as well as the Republican candidate for mayor.

These are some encouraging signs. They demonstrate that white people are voting for Negro candidates who measure up. Harlem should not be discouraged but should try again, remembering that elections are won not on voting days but by careful planning which must include registration day.

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## The Negro in America

By J. G. Browne

We might begin considering a plan by which the Negroes of this country could promote their economic welfare by a systematic organization whose function should be to encourage Negro talent by providing play houses in Negro communities of sufficient population to support the same and making out a season's schedule over which this talent can be routed.

The necessity for such an effort becomes the more urgent when we see the efforts being put forth by southern play houses to ban plays featuring Negro artists. It is foolish for us to depend upon white promoters to do for us what we can and should do for ourselves. It is true that there are no undivided Negroes of sufficient means to finance such a movement of broad enough scope to cover all of the available territory in this country, but if each community will finance through public solicitation its own play houses, there can be worked out through the intelligent cooperation of these houses a comprehensive plan by which the same end can be accomplished.

Those of us who have had an opportunity to talk intimately with any of the theatrical stars of our race know how they feel about such a movement or endeavor.

So far as they are concerned it would be their salvation, yet it would be professional suicide for them individually to attempt such an agitation. They are bound hand and foot financially by the ones who present them to the public and give them their opportunity, therefore they have to dance to their benefactor's music and the moment they don't act accordingly they are cut off. It is up to the Negro citizens of America to emancipate the Negro artists of our group and give to them their place in the sunlight that they and their people might reap the benefits of their labor and talent.

Suppose there was an up-to-date amusement house in Des Moines with a theatre and cafe on the first floor and a first class hall on the second floor, owned and operated by Negroes, (and such is possible) let us say that the same be done by Negroes in Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, and likewise throughout the south and east. Could there be any failure in such a plan? Please send in to this editor your answer as to the feasibility of this scheme and let us all work out ways and means for such a movement here. Address the editor of this column, through the Bystander, 302 Chemical Building, Des Moines, Iowa.

### KEOSAUQUA WAY

Why is there no adequate and effective traffic regulation on Keo Way? There is no logical reason why there should not be. As our city is run by an intelligent and observing Council, we assume that it cannot be blind to the daily risk run by pedestrians in crossing this thoroughfare. With cars running three and four abreast in the evening between 4:30 and 6:30, Keo Way is a veritable death trap. The two largest Negro churches in Des Moines lie east of Keo. A large percentage of the people who attend these churches (St. Paul A. M. E. and Corinthian Baptist) must cross Keo when walking, and it is indeed a serious problem for grown-ups as well as small tots going to Sunday School to brave that murderous onslaught of cars that race pell mell up and down this street. It is imperative and of vital importance that some authoritative action be taken to correct and curb the reckless haphazard traffic on Keo Way.

Virginia Stewart-Dixon, 1008 West 14th Street.

### G. W. SCOTT'S BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

The billiard tournament which has been going on at G. W. Scott's Billiard Parlor, 1006 Center street, finished October 31, with Mr. Sam Johnson winning first prize and also championship of the city; Albert Rhodes, second, Clemons Rooney, third and Lowell Williams, fourth.

This was a wonderful tournament and was attended by a large crowd. The men received very nice prizes and every one was very well satisfied. Mr. Scott intends to make this an annual affair.

### Money To Loan

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## Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

### SMALL POX

Small Pox is a very infectious disease and shows itself, after a short period of preliminary symptoms, in the form of a breaking out on the skin covering a small or large portion of the body, the severity of the rash running in direct relation to the severity of the disease and its consequences. The history of the disease presents many interesting features. Its existence was known in China many years before Christ. The skin eruptions were noticed on an Egyptian mummy twelve hundred years before Christ. It is said that the disease was brought to America in the sixteenth century and the first account of Small Pox was given by an Arabian Physician by the name of Rhazes in the ninth century and his description of it was considered "admirable". It was differentiated from measles in the seventeenth century by Sydenham but a more important historical item is the introduction of inoculation in 1718 into Europe by Lady Mary Wortley Montagu and most important of all the discovery of vaccination in 1796 by Jenner. Since this time vaccination has had its "ups and downs" being credited with an absolute potential protection at times and at other times with a partial protection against the disease. It can be said with surety now that vaccination protects absolutely other things being equal. Moreover, vaccination after contact though the disease be contracted, modifies its course and lessens its severity. Since natural immunity is rare and those not immune who come in contact with one having Small Pox are very sure to take it within ten or twenty days if not vaccinated, vaccination becomes a necessity. A person who has had this disease may not have it again as the immunity may last a lifetime but it has been known to occur three times in the same person. Vaccination is harmless, safe, and a protection against Small Pox and is therefore a necessity to the individual and those with whom he comes in contact.



New York, Oct. 22.—Ben Bess, South Carolina colored farmer, has left prison and is a free man, after having served fourteen years of a 30-year prison term on the perjured testimony of a white woman. N. J. Frederick and A. L. King, attorneys, assisted legally and financially by the N. A. A. C. P. carried the case to the Supreme Court of South Carolina which, in an En Banc session this week handed down an opinion in favor of Ben Bess, reversing the decree of the circuit judge.

The legal fight arose over the revocation of a pardon which Governor Richards issued when the white woman signed an affidavit repudiating the testimony on which Bess had been convicted. After Bess had been pardoned and released, the woman made a second affidavit stating that her intention had been to "forgive" Ben Bess, not to declare him innocent. Thereupon the Governor revoked the pardon he had issued and Bess was again imprisoned.

Habeas corpus proceedings were instituted by Mr. Frederick, who Townsent held that the pardon had been secured through fraud, appeal was taken to the Supreme Court, which ordered Bess released. On Tuesday Bess walked out of prison, a free man. Before his original conviction, Ben Bess narrowly escaped lynching. The N. A. A. C. P. points out that the final liberation and vindication of this innocent man dramatically demonstrates the inability of lynching mobs to determine questions of fact.

### PRES. HOOVER NAMES ELEVEN ON MEMORIAL COMMISSION

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—President Hoover last Thursday appointed 11 commissioners to supervise plans for the erection of a memorial building to commemorate the Negro's contribution to the achievements of America.

The president named Ferdinand D. Lee, founder and president of the National Memorial association, which is promoting the project; John R. Hawkins, president of the Prudential bank, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, Washington, D. C.; Rev. J. R. Ransom, presiding elder of the African Methodist Episcopal church, Topeka, Kan.; Webster L. Porter, editor of the East Tennessee News, Knoxville, Tenn.; Rev. H. Clay Weeden, general secretary of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church, Louisville, Ky.; Judge William C. Houston, commissioner of education of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, Gary, Ind.; Rev. L. K. Williams, president of the National Baptist Convention, Inc.; Chicago; Paul Williams, architect, Los Angeles; William G. Pearson, banker and insurance broker, Durham, N. C.; and Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, president of the Bethune-Cookman college, Daytona, Fla.

London, Eng., Oct. 25.—Paul Robeson, internationally known singer and actor has been refused admittance to the dining hall and grill room of a leading hotel recently in London.

The Robeson situation was revealed in a letter by the actor, a graduate and all-American football player from Rutgers, where he also won the Phi Beta Kappa key, and law graduate from Columbia university in New York, to the Society of Friends, a Quaker association, in which he told of his humiliation at the hotel to

which he had been invited by a party of white friends. In his letter, Robeson related his experience, explaining that in his three years in London, this was the first time that he had faced the color bar in the same manner that he had experienced in his own country.

Following, as it did, so closely on the trail of the incident in which Mr. Abbott figured, the barring of hotels to Robeson, acclaimed as one of the most popular persons in London, emphasized the fact that prejudice is growing here. There great influx of white Americans has been given as one of the chief reasons for the growing discrimination in this city, and has started official London to investigating conditions with a view to wiping out these practices.

James P. Marley, Labor member of parliament, one of the first persons to condemn London hotels for refusing service and entertainment to Editor and Mrs. Abbott, is now heading the investigation into the Robeson case. He addressed the meeting of the Quaker society at which Mr. Robeson's letter was read and pledged himself to follow the situation on through to its conclusion.

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Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—The famous edict of President Hoover scrapping black and tan organizations in the states of Georgia, Mississippi and South Carolina and approving of the lily-white organizations in other southern states has been recalled by President Hoover to taunt the advocates of a strong white Republican party in Dixie.

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## DES MOINES RAILWAY COMPANY

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—Attorney General William D. Mitchell last Tuesday authorized the United States attorney for the southern district of Mississippi at Jackson, Miss., to dismiss the remaining patronage cases against political associates of Perry W. Howard, Republican national committeeman for that state.

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# Society and Clubs

EDITED BY Miss Agnes Carter Drew

## MRS. STIN GRIFFIN ENTERTAINS

On Saturday, Nov. 2, Mrs. Stin Griffin entertained at her beautiful home, 1511 McKinley, at a one o'clock luncheon in honor of Mrs. Nora Brown of New York. Covers were laid for eight. The table was very elaborately decorated with sky blue candles with Marguerite Foster's decorations, baby pink rose buds tied in large knotted bows. The luncheon which was very appetizing consisted of pork tenderloin with dressing, mashed potatoes with mushroom gravy, lobster salad, hot rolls, pumpkin pie, coffee, nuts and after dinner mints. This was one of the prettiest affairs given in honor of Mrs. Brown. Everyone had a very enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. Mary McDonald, 216 1/2 West Third street was hostess to twelve ladies at dinner in honor of Mrs. Nora K. Brown and mother, Mrs. Lizzie Kinney of New York City, Thursday, Nov. 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bogan motored to Ottumwa and spent Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. White, 1240 Stewart St., entertained October 27, sixty-three ladies at tea in honor of her sister-in-law, Lizzie Kenney of New York City.

The Royal Dukes club entertained a large number of their friends at a Halloween party at the La Marguerite Hotel Annex, a very enjoyable time was had by all.

The T. O. B. club met with Pauline Brown on 4th Street place, Friday November 8.

The Thimble Art club met with Mrs. Meredith Carl in the form of an indoor picnic, Wednesday, October 23, A delightful time was had by all.

The home of Agnes Drew, 148 Sheridan Ave., was opened to the T. O. B. club to a pajama party, Saturday, October 26. A Dutch lunch was served at midnight and the rest of the morning was spent in playing 500 and other games. They departed at about 8:30 Sunday morning, expressing themselves as having had a wonderful time.

This is station L. W. B. Who? Ladies Usher Board, broadcasting an invitation for you to tune in on their breakaway cabaret dinner at St. Paul A. M. E. church, 12th and Crocker. On the air from 5:30 p. m. until 7. Break away from all other engagements and make your reservations early! The price is only 35 cents. Get your tickets now.

Mrs. Maude Mash, Pres.  
Mrs. Lucile Parson, Secy.

Mrs. W. P. Bird of Colome, S. D., after a months visit with friends at Knoxville is visiting her son, Leroy P. Bird, 1064 14th Street. She will leave soon to visit relatives at Lincoln, Neb.

Police officer Colonel Hill who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Hill and brother Governor Hill of Council Bluffs, Iowa, returned to the city Tuesday night and expressed himself as having had a wonderful trip.

Mrs. E. T. Hicks was visiting in our city last week with her mother, Mrs. Kate Jones and two sisters, Mesdames Eva Morton and Ida Baker.

The Royal Dukes met Monday at the Community Center. Plans were made for their Thanksgiving dinner.

Don't forget the T. O. B. Breakfast Dance, Thanksgiving morning at the Ritz.

Don't forget the Art Exhibit at the Community Center, Nov. 21 and 22. All exhibitors please have your art work in by Thursday afternoon.

The Roosevelt Club entertained their wives at the home of their president, Mr. J. G. Browne, 1419 Maryland Ave., Wednesday, November 13.

The La Mercedia Club met last week with Mrs. Clara Johnson as hostess at the Center. She had as her

club guest Mesdames Iva Mae Hayes and Mrs. Anna Harris.

The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority met Wednesday night at the Center.

Rose Temple No. 33 entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Tuesday night at the Center, who will leave soon for Los Angeles, California, to make their home. They will be accompanied by Mr. Pearl Wilkerson.

The La Mercedia Club met at the Center Wednesday with Mrs. Azala Mitchell as hostess.

Mesdames Lena Wilson and Clara Johnson spent the week end and Armistice Day in Kansas City, Mo.

The Monarch Club met Monday night at the Center.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at the Center.

Mrs. Gertrude Gould will entertain at the Center Monday, Nov. 18th, in honor of her nieces from Minneapolis, Minn.

The Camp Fire groups are busy weaving their beaded head bands.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alexander, and their little son Junior, returned to the city, Sunday, from Grand Rapids, Michigan, where Mr. Alexander is engaged in constructing a disposal plant for the city of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Alexander will remain here for the winter while Mr. Alexander returned to his job this week.

## Welfare Drive Starts Nov. 16

Colored agencies will participate in the thirteenth annual public welfare campaign to be held November 16 to 23 for the support of the city's 23 welfare groups. Of the goal of \$281,552, the sum of \$5,950 will be set aside exclusively for the support of the Community Service Inc., and the

## THANKS!



## Public Welfare November 16-23

Charity League, while members of the colored race will continue to receive the services given by the child and family welfare agencies and the public health groups.

New activities are being planned by the Charity League to be carried out at the conclusion of the drive. A day nursery will be established for the benefit of the working mothers. This will be the second organization of the sort in the city, the other being conducted at Roadside Settlement.

Plans for the nursery are being made by Mrs. Mamie Morton as chairman of the committee appointed by Mrs. J. E. Rush, president of the league. A start has been made in caring for the children whose mothers are living in the home, but the work will be enlarged to give this service to working mothers of the neighborhood. A full time worker will be in charge. Several beds for the nursery have already been donated and about half the necessary equipment.

A thrift shop is also to be started at the League home in December to supply clothing to applicants at a nominal sum. According to Mrs. Rush the thrift shop will probably be in charge of the relief department chairman to be appointed at the next meeting November 21st.

The Charity League supplied a residence for 125 different women and girls to date this year, exclusive of those who attended special gatherings at the home.

At the Community Center the total attendance last year was 13,662 and approximately 1,000 group meetings

were held. In a welfare book let recently issued by the public welfare bureau, this institution was described as 'one of the most effective community centers in America.' Mrs. Lillian Edmunds is executive secretary. Baby clinics are held weekly at the community center with a total attendance of 611 for the past year.

Mrs. Anna Mae Carter is the captain of the women's division team for the campaign solicitation in this section.

## CROCKER STREET Y. M. C. A.

### NOTES

The fifth annual Father-Son banquet of the Crocker Street Y will be held Friday evening, November 22, at the Corinthian Baptist church at 7 P. M. Dr. E. Thomas Scales will be the principal speaker. The banquet will be served by the Willing Workers Club of the Corinthian church, Mrs. C. H. Roane, President. Every father is expected to attend with his son. A boy can be furnished to men who are not fathers.

The Crocker St. Y finished its 'Week of Prayer' Nov. 16. Rev. G. W. Robinson delivered the keynote address on the week last Sunday afternoon, November 10th, at the Union Baptist church. The following persons appeared at the building during the week from Nov. 11 to 16: Rev. H. L. Overton, pastor of Burns M. E., Rev. W. H. Ogleton, pastor of Bethel A. M. E., Rev. Jordan Tutt, pastor of Union Baptist, Mrs. John Slater and Attorney S. Joe Brown. Each one delivered an inspirational message on prayer.

The Committee of Management will meet in its regular monthly meeting, November 16th, at the building. Chairman, W. W. Jones.

Gym classes for older men will open in late November. There will be teams from the churches and from civic clubs. The competitive sport will be volleyball. Any older group can enter a team and the game will be taught. The basketball program for young men and boys will also begin in late November. The Sunday school basket ball league will begin in early December. All Sunday schools are asked to get their teams organized.

Clubs for every section of the city will be organized in a few days. Each club will have its leader and a specific meeting place. Projects pioneering and wholesome activity will be the program of all clubs. The leaders themselves will be formed into a council.

PAY A PORTION OF YOUR PLEDGE BY DECEMBER FIRST. WE SHALL APPRECIATE IT.

## CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA, NEWS

The Silver Spray gave a program at the Community house last Thursday night. Mr. Fee, a prominent white citizen, gave splendid remarks followed by our Mrs. Ford; Mrs. A. M. Davis gave a talk on the life of professor Booker Washington Carver of Tuskegee Institute and Perkins. There was other numbers from clubs which took part. A silent prayer was held for the Mrs. Fee. A lovely luncheon was served. Rev. A. M. Smith is running a revival in Waterloo for about ten days. Rev. Bates preached at Mt. Zion Baptist Church Sunday morning. Everyone enjoyed the services. He will preach again Monday night and next Sunday we are expecting a large crowd to hear him. The Aid Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Eva Perkins Monday night. There will be a railroad rally given by the Mt. Zion church. The rally closes December 8. The Milwaukee Road is giving a sup-

per Nov. 22, at the church. Mrs. Angie Tate is improving but is still in the hospital. Mrs. Black is reported better at this writing. The Bethel A. M. E. church is holding its services at the Sunshine Mission. The Fidelity Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Hattie Green Thursday night. Rev. A. M. Smith and the junior quartette rendered a program for Central City, Iowa, last Tuesday night. They turned over a generous sum for the church. Silver Spray will meet Tuesday night from seven to eight at the Community House.

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BY E. L. CRAMER, President.  
BY S. K. LOCKHART, Secretary.  
BY A. S. RICH, Treasurer.  
LAPPEN & CARLSON, Attorneys for CARSON'S, INC.

## WASHINGTON, IOWA, NEWS

By Lucile Rhodes

The Christian Endeavor held a Hal-lowe'en social at the church, October 31. There were twenty-three present and Mrs. Alma Callier was in charge. A reception was held at the church October 26, in honor of the new pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Callier, and Presiding Elder J. P. Sims. Light refreshments were served by the committee in charge. Messrs. John Lee Crayton of Hedrick, visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Crayton, and Mrs. R. L. Crump, this week. Mrs. Willis Turner and children of Cedar Rapids and Mrs. Frances Walker of Des Moines, visited with Mrs. Ollie Turner this week. Mr. Chester Howard spent a few days in Cedar Rapids, Saturday, November 2, the A. M. E.

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church held its Tag Day. By evening we had raised \$148.63. Taylor Crayton, age 9 years, collected the highest amount, (\$27.48), receiving the prize. More donations are being brought in and Rev. Vailler is well pleased with the work being done. A jubilee concert is being planned for the first week in December. Let us all be ready to help. Your cooperation is needed.

## ST. SIMON'S MISSION OPENS ECONOMY SHOP

St. Simon's Episcopal Mission is conducting an economy shop at 1294 Center Street, each Saturday until Xmas. A full line of men, women and children's clothing is on sale at very low prices. Dinner is being served each Saturday also. Rev. A. M. Roberts will conduct services at the Mission, Sunday.

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