

# Hunter's Serenaders to Play at Cotillion Ballroom, Thursday Eve., May 22

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## Fashion Parade and Prom Most Brilliant Affair of the Season

### Mrs. Brown Sails on Tour With N.A.C.W.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown left Saturday the 10th and after spending a day with her father and other relatives in Chicago, she continued to New York where she will join Mrs. Sallie Q. Stewart, president, Miss Hallie Q. Brown, past president, and the half-dozen other representatives of the National Association of Colored Women on Wednesday the 14th, and after being entertained there by Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., the party will sail on Thursday the 15th via the S. S. Ile De France.

The itinerary includes a landing at Plymouth, England, thence a trip by train to London, where one day will be spent in a motor coach tour to Westminster Abbey, the House of Parliament, the London Bridge, and Windsor Castle and other historic places in that vicinity from which they will go across the Hook of Holland to Berlin, where they will spend a day, thence by train to Vienna, Austria, where they will remain ten days in attendance upon the sessions of the International Council of Women, which is the real purpose of the trip. After the close of the sessions they will make a side trip to Oberamgau and witness the world famous production of the Passion Play, after which they will drop into sunny Italy, visiting Milan and Genoa, the birthplace of Christopher Columbus, and the historic city of Rome, and the Vatican, returning to Paris by way of Aix-les-Bains.

After a day visiting the historic places in the city of Paris they will be taken to Versailles, where the now famous Peace Treaty was signed which ended the World War, from whence they will travel by train to Havre, where they will embark upon the S. S. France bound for New York City, where they are scheduled to arrive about July 3rd.

### URGES VACATION IN NORTHERN RESORT

Editor's Note.—The readers of The Bystander will be particularly interested in the letter below. Rev. E. N. Warren of Des Moines visited this resort last year and made an exhaustive report in these columns. We commend the place to our friends and urge that they write Mr. Lyght early for reservations.

Oseola, Iowa, May 6, 1930.

Iowa Bystander,  
James B. Morris, Editor,  
Des Moines, Ia.

My Dear Mr. Morris:

My attention has been called to what I consider a very worthy opportunity to lend a helping hand to one of our race who just at this time is very much in need of a favor from you. It is this: during the past year Mr. N. P. Lyght of Lutsen, Minnesota, has been engaged in establishing a summer resort on Caribou Lake with the idea of having a respectable retreat at a reasonable price where such of our people as might so desire may find rest and recreation in the northland during the heat of the summer.

It is probable that you are familiar with the fascinating attractions of this (the Big Timber country in the wild region bordering of Canada, Caribou Lake is 106 miles north of Big Duluth, 18 miles south of Grand Marais, 30 miles from the Canadian line. It is a very large lake, as you know, noted for its beautiful scenery, delightful boating and wonderful fishing. It is surrounded by great woods of that region which are abundant in all its glory.

Only recently this lake has been connected with Duluth by Federal highway No. 1, now hard surfaced the entire way. This makes it a speedy and comfortable drive from Des Moines, all the way hard surfaced

Promenading the latest evening gowns and dancing to the music of Hunter's Serenades, famous dance orchestra of Omaha, will be the main features of the Fashion Parade and Prom which will be given at the Cotillion Ball Room on Thursday evening, May 22.

The parade will be had from 9 to 10 in which a score or more of Des Moines' fashionable ladies will display modern evening gowns of special designs.

Following the style display dancing will reign supreme from then on. A large crowd of Des Moines and nearby towns people is expected.

This is the first opportunity this group has had to use the Cotillion for several years and nothing has been overlooked to make it the most brilliant affair in many years. The public is invited.

This affair is sponsored by the following ladies: Mesdames Clara Johnson, Awdra Alexander, Maud Woods, Mary Branch, Bessie Hughes, Elceta Coleman, Ora Brown, Iva Mae Hayes, Olive Lindsay, Lula Harris and Willie Bailey and Georgine Morris. Mrs. Morris, who was chairman of the style show last year, which was held at the Ritz Hall, is chairman.

### INVALID VETERAN TRANSFERRED

The Lincoln Post of the American Legion composed of Negro veterans of Des Moines and vicinity accomplished another piece of real service this week in the securing of the transfer to the U. S. Veteran's Hospital at St. Louis of Comrade Charles Swink of Valley Junction, who though not a member of the post, is a veteran of the World War who had undergone a major operation in Mercy Hospital some weeks ago but seemed not to be recuperating as rapidly as he should have been.

The case was reported to Comrade Spencer Elliston, service officer of the post, who not only secured an order and transportation for Comrade Swink to enter the Veterans' Hospital but accompanied him there as Comrade Swink was too ill to make the trip alone.

Kansas City, Mo., May 16.—"He's Tall, Dark and Handsome," says Miss Julia Lee, popular Brunswick recording star and pianist of the Famous George Lee Recording orchestra, in her new release recently made for Brunswick people. And on the reverse side she tempts with "Won't You Come Over to My House." Both numbers are fox trots.

Miss Lee was heard here last month when she appeared with her brother's band at the Union Park Dance pavilion. According to local dance promoters, the famous orchestra, which made quite a hit here, will be booked for a return engagement soon.

road. Mr. Lyght has a large camp ground for those who desire to camp, besides he has furnished cabins of the best kind to rent at a rate up to \$4.00 per day. His sons are familiar with the lake and the bordering woodlands, and they are glad to serve as guides.

Withal Mr. Lyght has over-reached his finances. Besides he had sickness in his family during the long winter past. If he could gain a reasonable amount of patronage this summer he has a prospect of pulling through to the extent that he could in another year finance the necessary publicity in the larger cities of Iowa. Mr. Lyght has a family of 14. We have been helping them this past winter.

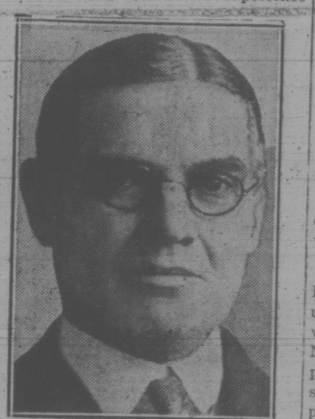
Could you, out of the goodness of your heart, give him a news story or any other sort of mentioning that would be most, I assure you that it would be appreciated and that Mr. Lyght is in every way worthy your favor.

Always interested in The Bystander, I am,  
Very truly yours,  
Walter Griffin.

## Brown Candidate for Representative

Mr. Brown has announced his candidacy for nomination at the Republican primaries, June 2nd, for the State Legislature.

By his long and active experience



ED R. BROWN

in the law business, covering a period of thirty years, we can say without hesitation that he is qualified to fill the position with integrity and ability.

Being a member of a large family, he was compelled to make his own way from the age of sixteen, and work to support himself and pay his tuition in the Capital City Commercial College, and later in his law course in Drake University.

He is married, but has no children. He has been a citizen and taxpayer in Des Moines for fifteen years.

Mr. Brown has been very active in helping the Negroes of the community. He was named as a special trustee of the Burns Methodist Church and helped this church in its plans to own property, and was instrumental in raising approximately \$1,000.00 to help pay the debt on the church. This was done long before he contemplated entering politics.

The colored people would do well to give Mr. Brown their united support for the legislature. He has been a true friend to the race and our appreciation should be shown by voting for him on June 2nd.

### Avalanche of Congratulations Pour in On N. A. A. C. P. National Office

New York, May 9.—By a margin of two votes, 41 to 39, after one of the most bitter and acrimonious struggles ever seen in the United States Senate, with galleries crowded and members of the House of Representatives standing three deep awaiting the outcome, the Senate on Wednesday afternoon rejected the nomination by President Hoover of Judge John J. Parker to be Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.

The outcome of this struggle, which has resulted in a crushing rebuke to the Hoover Administration's lily white policy, is generally credited to the leadership of the National Association of the Advancement of Colored People which first procured and published Judge Parker's anti-Negro utterance made in a political speech while candidate for Governor of North Carolina in 1920. On the basis of that utterance, the N. A. A. C. P. communicated with all its branches, kept in constant touch by telegraph and long distance telephone with political influential friends in Washington and elsewhere, maintained a day-to-day check for a period of two weeks on the shifting attitudes of United States Senators, and conducted an unremitting press campaign.

Southern white editors almost without exception, have admitted that without the N. A. A. C. P. opposition Judge Parker would probably have been confirmed. The N. A. A. C. P. feels that the Parker fight is a crushing blow to the Hoover Administration policy by which it was sought to build up the Republican party in the South through offering sops to "lily

## New Man Gets Civil Service Job

Mr. M. R. Mays passed the civil service examination for the Custodian at the New Post Office at Newton, Iowa, heading the list of other aspirants with a percentage of 98 1/2. He entered upon his new duties the first of April. Mr. Mays, for many years was in the employ of the late W. C. Bergman, a banker and brother of Senator Bergman.

He was born and reared in Newton, coming from an old line of ancestors who fought in the Civil War.

He is the father of five children; Evelyn are Newton High School graduates. Everett attended Howard University one year, and is now with the National Benefit Life Insurance Company at Washington, D. C. His twin sister, Evelyn is in the same city employed as bookkeeper for a law firm.

Mr. Mays and his family are one of the pillars of the A. M. E. Church at Newton; also affiliated with the (white) Methodist Episcopal Church and Sunday School of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Mays, on numerous occasions have given musical programs of unique character, specializing in Negro Spirituals.

### 24 GOLD STAR MOTHERS DE-CLINE JIM CROW PILGRIMAGE

New York, May 9.—Twenty-four colored Gold Star Mothers to date have written to the N. A. A. C. P. in response to its request, enclosing signed petitions to President Hoover as Commander-in-Chief of the Armies of the United States, asking that he order the abolition of color segregation on the pilgrimage of mothers to graves on European battlefields, and, failing that, declining to go on a Jim Crow pilgrimage.

The N. A. A. C. P. has also protested to President Hoover the War Department's decision that there be separate but equal accommodations for colored mothers, urging him to overrule this disposition of the matter. In the letter to President Hoover, the N. A. A. C. P. says in part:

"It was our hope that it would not be necessary for us to take up this matter with you, but repeated protests from white and colored individuals, many of them of great prominence, including Governors and members of Congress, and from organizations, among them the N. A. A. C. P., have resulted in unequivocal statements from the War Department that it will segregate Negro Gold Star Mothers."

### WHITE WOMAN WRITES EDITORS DEFENDING WHITE PLAINS NEGROES

New York, May 9.—The N. A. A. C. P. has received copy of a letter sent by a white woman, Mrs. Mary Palmer Fuller, to the editors of the White Plains daily newspapers, defending the conduct of the colored doctors who recently purchased homes in white neighborhoods.

In her letter Mrs. Fuller expressed her "complete sympathy with the colored population of White Plains," pointing out that spiritual values are as important as mortgages and land prices.

"Although industrial plants have depreciated property values," writes Mrs. Fuller, "I have not heard of any fiery crosses being burned in front of the offices of the U. S. Steel Corporation, General Motors or Anaconda Copper." In conclusion, Mrs. Fuller inquires: "And can't we at least try to find out how agreeable decent colored folk may be as neighbors?"

"white," or, in plain words, anti-Negro Republicans. Further than this, the Association feels that a long step has been taken in furthering the Negro's national fight for full recognition as a citizen, and as a voter.

## Mrs. Hermansen Would Succeed Mrs. Fleur

Mrs. Agnes Lee Hermansen, chief deputy county recorder has announced herself as a candidate for nomination for recorder in the coming primaries to succeed Mrs. O. Fleur.

In making her announcement which came after the leaders in prominent women's groups of the city had urged her to take the race, Mrs. Hermansen pledged herself to a platform to "keep the office self supporting."

"My policy if elected will be to carry out the policies established by the late Mrs. Fleur," Mrs. Hermansen said. "I promise to conduct the office honestly, efficiently and economically with courtesy to all. I wish to thank my friends who have tendered me their support."

Lived Here 15 Years

Mrs. Hermansen has been a resident of Mason-Dixon street, Des Moines for the last fifteen years. She is the widow of Sergt. Carl J. Hermansen, who died from disability suffered overseas during the world war.



A graduate of the Ossian High School, Mrs. Hermansen received her higher education at Cornell college and in the Des Moines School of Commerce. She was postmistress of the thirty-sixth general assembly, chief clerk of the state oil inspection department for nine years, assistant record clerk in the state department of agriculture for three years, and has been chief deputy in the county recorder's office since November, 1927.

## Morrison Garst in Sheriff's Race

Morrison Garst in his race for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Polk County is being received with considerable favor. With his pleasing personality and natural ability everywhere he goes he is gaining many friends and supporters. With his army training and business experience his qualifications are outstanding and the voters of Polk County will find him a worthy successor to Sheriff Park Findley.

Mr. Garst has been a resident of Polk County for twenty-five years. He received his education in the Des Moines Public schools and Iowa State College at Ames. He has been actively engaged in the insurance and real estate business in Des Moines, being a member of the Fletcher, Webb & Garst Co., vice president of the Central Lot Company, president of the Garst Land Company, and associated with Olmsted Company. He was also honored by being a former president of the Webster Life Insurance Company.

The Republicanism of the Garst family is tradition, Mr. Garst being a nephew of the late Warren Garst, Governor of the State of Iowa. Mr. Garst is a World War veteran. He is asking for the nomination on a platform of law enforcement and economy in the administration of the office. Mr. Garst is qualified to enforce the law and efficiently administer the important business of the sheriff's office.

## Rev. Brent, Maple St. Minister Has Had Successful Pastorate

Rev. A. Ross Brent, who for the past five years has pastored the Memorial Baptist Church, Sedalia, Mo., is now on his new field as pastor of the Maple Street Baptist Church in this city.

### POPULAR GRINNELL GIRL WEDS

Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas have announced the marriage of their daughter, Anna Mae to Harry Gilmore of Waterloo, Iowa. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents in Grinnell, Iowa, Saturday evening, April 19th. Only the immediate relatives were present, including a brother of the bride, Mr. Henry Lucas and wife of Chicago and the mother, sister and brother of the groom from Marshalltown, Iowa. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Terrell of Colfax.

Mrs. Gilmore is a graduate of the High School at Grinnell, attended Grinnell College one year, also took extensive training in Nursing at the General Hospital in Kansas City, being a piano artist, she gained considerable recognition in her High School and College days.

Mr. Gilmore has been employed for some years by a big corporation at Waterloo. He is also active in social and civic enterprises there. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore will make their home in Waterloo.

### N. A. A. C. P. FIGHT ATCHISON, KAN., DISCRIMINATION IN ZONING ORDINANCE

New York, May 9.—The N. A. A. C. P. has sent its check for \$125 as a contribution to the Atchison, Kan., branch in its fight against a local zoning ordinance affecting undertakers, which would operate against a colored undertaker while permitting white undertakers to remain on their premises.

Following the failure of efforts at a compromise with a committee calling upon the city commissioners and presenting a petition signed by two hundred citizens protesting against the zoning ordinance, the local N. A. A. C. P. has retained attorneys and taken the matter to court.



The Reverend Nix, creator of the "Black Diamond Express," presents Nina Mae McKinney with a Bible on her recent visit to the Brunswick Recording Laboratory in Chicago.

### MOVIE STAR MAKES RECORD

And now Nina Mae McKinney can be found on phonograph records as well as on the silver screen.

When passing through Chicago recently Miss McKinney was asked to assist at the Brunswick recording laboratory in the recording of the "Black Diamond Express" which the Reverend Nix and his congregation were making as a Vocalion record.

Through her familiarity with the "Black Diamond Express," as used in the revival scene from her recent picture "Hallelujah," Miss McKinney was able to inject into the recording a degree of realism which, according to Harry Kruse, Vocalion sales manager, is going to make of it the outstanding record of the year.

# EDITORIALS

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### ONE MAN CARS

A few days ago an ordinance was introduced in the city Council making operation of one man street cars illegal. A petition bearing four thousand signatures was presented to the Council protesting the proposed use of one man cars.

Thursday the Des Moines railway company presented a petition to the Council bearing eight thousand signatures favoring one man cars.

It is unfortunate that this controversy should come at this time when there is such widespread unemployment. It prevents the average citizen from looking at the economic question as far as the company is concerned. The first reason advanced by the opposers of one man cars is that some people will be thrown out of work. This is not true according to the officers of the company.

It has been proven that the one man cars are safe, otherwise towns like New York, Brooklyn, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Kansas City, St. Louis, Birmingham, Denver, Atlanta, Indianapolis, Omaha, Newark, Buffalo, Akron, Providence, Houston, Washington, Detroit, Pittsburgh, Seattle, Milwaukee and Cleveland would not be using them in whole or in part.

Des Moines can boast of few large industries greatly due to the fact that they have been given little inducement to locate here. Our street railway has been in and out of court for many years because certain interests have sought to squeeze the company for every available nickel without regard to the fact that the company must earn money to stay in business.

The Des Moines railway company should be allowed, like all other concerns, to use labor saving methods in order to meet the increased cost of operation and still allow the public to ride at a very low fare. We don't believe the City Council should be put in a position of hampering the progress of a concern which means a great deal to the average citizen of the community.

### THE PARKER CASE

The Parker fight ended with a victory to those who fought for principle. There are a great many senators who voted for his confirmation, simply because the president wanted to force the issue. The Bystander has always stood for party action, but when the president attempts to force action upon a nominee of Judge Parker's type, in such cases the president should be opposed.

The New York Times in an editorial inserted in the Congressional Record, cited those Senators who opposed Judge Parker because they feared opposition by the Negro voters in coming elections. When a senator goes to Washington he agrees to represent his constituents and if a part of them are Negroes the obligation remains just the same.

When legislation of interest to a senator's state is up for consideration, that senator works and votes for the things which his constituents want; it is true of the tariff, agriculture or any other subject. If this principle holds good when property rights

### The Negro in America

By J. G. Browne

The new south is now beginning to take form. Its effect on the old school of thought as depicted in men like Cole Blaise of South Carolina is amusing. His tirade on the floor of the Senate in behalf of the Negro workman lost its force when he presumed to know God's will as to the duties prescribed by Him for the race.

We think God's revelations should come through men of higher ideals and loftier sentiments—sentiments than any we have ever heard expressed by this bombastic representative from Carolina. If he means that the Negro should be given the same opportunities economically, that are given to foreigners, we agree with him, but when he speaks of the labor for which we are especially adapted by nature, he does not know what he is driving at and neither do we.

Negroes have done what men of every other race have done: They have tilled the soil and founded empires. They have charted the course of the stars and guided the destinies of governments. The American Negro has gone from the tropical heat of the sunny south to the frigid blasts at the north pole. He has climbed from the depths of ignorance and penury to the forefront as educators and leaders in research laboratories; from the cotton fields of "Bam to the footlights of the world"; none but an idiot would attempt to specify the exact sphere of activity for a group or race so versatile in its accomplishments under such handicaps as we endure in America.

There is a change in the south which is beginning to show signs of an upward trend for both races. The conviction of a white brute in New Orleans to hang for the murder of a Negro girl is one hopeful sign.

The Carolina senator's pretense to intelligence is but one of the humorous instances of this wholesome evolution.

are under consideration why the difference when human rights are involved? None, in fact the point is even stronger.

Judge Parker's defeat will have a wholesome effect not only in the fact that the Negro was almost unanimous in their protest, but that public men and women will be more careful what they say in the future even with regard to the Negro.

Mr. J. W. Mitchell and Attorney James B. Morris were visitors in Waterloo and Mason City last week.

### Restrict Immigration

The Senate has pending before it a bill to restrict immigration to this country for a period of five years. It is being sponsored by a Senator from Georgia; in fact its strongest advocates are men from southern states. It is easy to see the reason however, most of the immigrants in America today live in northern communities and Senators don't like to antagonize their constituents.

In view of the widespread unemployment which has existed in the United States during the last few years, and the fact that thousands of immigrants are coming here each year, it is difficult to see how this bill should meet serious opposition. Since Germany, Hungary, Rumania, Switzerland and many other European countries have immigration restraints protecting their citizens from foreign labor there is no reason why the United States should not do likewise. Already we have taken on more than our capacity to furnish employment to the inhabitants here. It is high time to call a halt.

### KEOSAUQUA NEWS

By Mrs. Wm. Green  
Rev. M. D. Cox of the M. E. Church preached a wonderful sermon Sunday morning, April 27. His text was taken from John 10:16, and his subject was "The Building of a Church." Mr. Henderson attended the meeting at Community Hall Sunday evening. Most of the young people from here went to Burlington Tuesday evening to the dance.

### Republican Unity Growing

The ever growing unity of the party is evidence of the increasing confidence which Republicans throughout the country have placed in the candidate—Fry Times

### Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

The structure of the heart and the fact that heart diseases is greatest among serious illnesses makes it necessary that every precaution be taken to prevent its occurrence and to support the heart and treat it when ever it is affected. The frequency of this disease in children seems to throw some light on the starting point and the occurrence of measles, whooping cough, scarlet fever, mumps, diphtheria and like diseases in childhood the reason for the frequent occurrence of heart disease in children. It cannot be said that all heart disease begins in childhood but who knows that the first damage to hearts, laying the foundation for future trouble is not done then in a great percentage of the cases. The cause in grownups arises from a variety of things among which modern stress and strain and manner of living takes the lead, but statistics are not voluminous enough to state definitely whether or not previous childhood diseases have played a part and it is obvious that it would take a century of observation to find that out with the work done continuously by two generations of scientists doing nothing else,—but such a work would not be futile or unavailing and the time spent not in vain.

He's disfranchised and jim-crowed, too.  
How much does that flag mean to him?  
He's sentenced without evidence,  
No court, no judge or no defense.  
Abuse and insult all the time,  
Has reached the stage of national crime,  
And the peonage system running rife  
All practiced under stars and stripes.  
The Negro, though a legal citizen,  
How much does that flag mean to him.

Oh, when will this world understand,  
The meaning of our Lord's command?  
What e're you'd have men do to you,  
That do ye even so to them.  
For it is true what St. Paul said,  
Our God cannot be mocked by men,  
Remember now what ever you sow,  
You're sure to reap it in the end.

### WHAT THE AMERICAN FLAG MEANS TO THE NEGRO

By Archie Day

The flag of America today, Means freedom and Democracy. That all men shall receive their rights. It says in colors, stars and stripes, And that the courts all over the land, Protect the rights of every man. But the Negro, though a citizen, How much does that flag mean to him?

In seventeen hundred and seventy-five, When America to be free did strive, While the mother country, you understand, Was fighting hard to hold this land. The Negro came at this country's call, To make America free for all. And though they judged him not a man, Yet he bled and died to free this land.

But when the smoke of battle died, And independence was declared, The Negro's blood meant naught to them, They drove him back to the slaver's pen. And chained and fettered him again; Deprived him of the rights of men, And bared his back to the lash again, How much did that flag mean to him?

On Verdun's field he gave his all, That the stars and stripes should never fall. He marched right in the mouth of hell, Where cannon balls and bursting shells, Machine gun fire and bayonets, too, He died for the red, white and blue, But he surely must have died in vain, For how much does that flag mean to him?

Those brave young lads will never more be, Their bodies lie buried overseas. The U. S. now offers to their graves in France Just one thing those bereaved mothers dread, To be jim-crowed over to mourn their dead; Those Gold Star Mothers, though citizens, How much does that flag mean to them?

And that's not all that flag decees, That's made a hollow mockery, That equal rights and justice claim, Is nothing real, it's just a name. Though emblematic of the right, That flag cannot assert its might, The spirit of the stars and bars Defies the power of stripes and stars.

The right of franchise should extend To each and every citizen; Impartially should the courts decide On evidence that is bonafide. Charged with crime when it is not true,

ment is to be enforced in Polk County. I am without compromise for enforcement of the prohibition laws.

### STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of Iowa Bystander, published weekly at Des Moines, Iowa, for April 1, 1930.  
That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 1900. (This information is required from daily publications only.)  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April 1, 1930.  
GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Notary Public.  
(My commission expires July 4, 1930.)

### VALLEY JUNCTION NEWS

By Leona McCurtis  
The Sunday School services at Mt. Hebron Baptist church were well attended. The pastor, Rev. L. G. Garrett, delivered the message both morning and evening. Rev. L. G. Garrett preached in Waukeo, Iowa, Sunday at 3 P. M. Mrs. D. King has returned from Iowa City. Mr. Luster Brown has returned to his home in Kansas City. Misses Leona McCurtis, Lillie Milam, C. V. Brown, Luster Brown and Lorain Turner motored to Chicago last Saturday to spend Easter. Mr. David Hawkins and Miss Myrtle Frazier's wedding was quite a surprise to their many friends of Valley Junction. Those on the sick list are: Luberta and Lella Goodloe, Mr. Charlie Swink in Jefferson City, Mo., in the hospital. Mrs. Ella Fletcher is still improving.

### Dudley Candidate for Polk County Sheriff

Announcing his candidacy for Sheriff of Polk County, Mr. Dudley says:  
"I have decided to make the race for Sheriff, because many persons in Polk County in all walks of life have stated that they want to have the chance to vote for a man for this office who has an unquestionable record for honesty and is able to properly carry out the duties required of a Sheriff.



"My whole life has been one of varied experience. Military training was had while serving in two wars of the United States. I was for nine years associated continuously with people of the different races and nationalities. Workers from all races were with me while engaged in construction work on the Panama Canal, for a number of years. This enabled me to know their ambitions, trials, and troubles.

"I want all the people of Polk County to know that I am their friend and understand the temperaments of the people of the different nationalities. They will find in me a guardian for their boys and girls.  
"If elected to the office of Sheriff, I shall always be ready to do all in my power to aid each person in Polk County. The aged and the poor will find me a vigilante in their behalf. Anyone in trouble coming to me will find me ready at any hour of the day or night to render any assistance that I can give them. I want you to feel that I am a champion for the aged, the poor and the distressed. My age is fifty-seven years.

"I know the various temptations that come to the youth of our present day, and I shall zealously endeavor to remove these temptations. An ounce of prevention is worth twenty pounds of cure by law enforcement. I trust that I am worthy of your support in obtaining the nomination for Sheriff at the primaries, June 2, 1930. The real issue in this campaign, in my opinion, is whether the 18th Amend-

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tain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

### NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION

To Anne M. Ainley and Walter Hawthorn: You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1926, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot Ten (10) in William's Addition, being in and a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the same for the year 1925 to T. H. Winfrey; that the said T. H. Winfrey is still the owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued pursuant to the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for said real estate will be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.  
Dated this 9th day of March, 1930.  
GEO. HARNAGEL, Attorney for T. H. Winfrey.

### FREE PERFUME STRAIGHT HAIR

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To Selma Freeman: You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of December, 1926, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot Four (4) in Block Nine (9) in Farwell place, being in and a part of the City of Des Moines, in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the same for the year 1925, to the undersigned, Geo. Harnagel; that the undersigned, Geo. Harnagel, is still the owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued pursuant to the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for said real estate will be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.  
Dated this 20th day of March, 1930.  
4-29; 5-3-10 GEO. HARNAGEL.

### VALLEY JUNCTION NEWS

By Leona McCurtis  
The Easter program at the Mt. Hebron Church was well attended. The Mission Circle will meet at the church Tuesday evening at 7 P. M. Mrs. Geo. Fletcher, President. Mr. Luster Brown of Kansas City is the house guest of his mother, Mrs. Perry Hill, also her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Louise Brown of Chicago. Mr. C. V. Brown has returned to his home in Chicago on the sick list.

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# Society and Clubs = Mrs. Agnes Matthews

Edited By

Mrs. Agnes Matthews

The Royal Dukes Club met Tuesday at the Center.

The Bridge Club met Wednesday evening at the Center with Mrs. Dalza Hammit as hostess.

The T. O. B. Club was entertained Friday, May 9, by Mrs. Agnes Mathew, 148 Sheridan Avenue.

On Monday night at the meeting of the Board members of the Welfare Group, little George Edmunds, Jean Morris, Eleanor Powell and Geneva Morrow gave two tap dances accompanied by Mrs. Knowling at the piano. The Monarch Club will be entertained next Monday evening by their wives.

The La Marcedia Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Minnie Clay as hostess, at the Center.

The M. C. T. Club met Monday with Mrs. Ella Willis at the Center. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Birdie Wimm.

The American Legion and Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, May 20. The popularity contest sponsored by the Auxiliary was a great success. Mrs. Dora McGuire raised the largest amount of money and won first prize, Mrs. Lela Walker second. This money will be used to buy colors for the Auxiliary for Memorial Day parade.

The Junior Dramatic class held their play at the Street-Car Men's auditorium, Thursday. Twenty-five children took part.

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

Vesper services at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday closed the National May week's activities for Delta Sigma Theta chapter. The speakers of the afternoon, Miss Shepherd, of Drake University faculty, Dr. Noble and Miss Agnes Samuelson, superintendent of public instruction.

Burns Church held their Mother's Day program Sunday at the church with Mrs. Cropp as chairman.

The Ft. Nightly Club met Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clay on 17th Street.

Miss Ruth Marie Brown, secretary of the Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A., has returned from Detroit, Mich., where she was attending the convention.

## MR. DAWSON HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Green, 916 Fourteenth Street Place, Tuesday evening, April 29, in honor of Mr. George Dawson. Members of the fair sex present were as follows:

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## OBITUARY

Mr. James Henry McGuire was born in Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 9, 1876. He was married to Miss Lillie B. Burris in 1915 in Minneapolis, Minn. They lived happily together until he departed this life, Thursday, April 30, 1930, at 11:40 P. M., at the age of 54 years, two months and 24 days. He professed a hope in Christ Feb. 23, 1929, and had his membership with the Sanctified Church of Christ. He held on to the faith until the end and left this testimony with his wife and friends, that his life was well pleasing with God and there will not be but a few to ride this train.

He leaves to mourn his loss a loving wife, Mrs. Lillie B. McGuire; two brothers, Ernest and Archie McGuire, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 3, at 1 P. M., from St. Paul Church with Rev. Brewer officiating. Interment at Laurel Hill cemetery.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many neighbors and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy shown during the illness and at the time of the death of my beloved husband. I also wish to thank them for their beautiful floral offerings and the use of their cars, also I wish to thank Rev. Brewer for his kind remarks, and Doric Lodge No. 30, A. F. A. M., Zeid Temple No. 90, and also L. Fowler & Son for their kind and efficient service.

Mrs. Lillian McGuire.

There will be a Benefit Card Party given by the Royal Whist Club at the Center Wednesday, May 21. Admission, twenty-five cents.

Mrs. Stella J. Davis, manager of the Central Employment Agency, left Thursday, May 15, for California to visit relatives and friends. She will be gone indefinitely.

The Merry Widow Industrial Club will meet Sunday afternoon, May 4, with Mrs. Chas. Winslow, 1050 Fourth Street Place, at 4:30 P. M. The Merry Widows have been engaged in other affairs but will have a fine program at this meeting. New members are being added. Hoping to have a full house May 4.

Mrs. Emma Black of Washington, Iowa, leaves today for her home after visiting two weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. Buckner, 1470 Thirteenth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson of Philadelphia, Pa., who have been in the city for the last two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Hill and her 'brothers, Police Officer Colonel Hill and Major Hill and Governor Hill of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and who expressed themselves as having had a wonderful stay, are leaving Wednesday night for their home and will be accompanied by Mrs. Mary E. Hill who will visit them the rest of this year. While in the city they stopped with Mr. Colonel Hill, 915 West Fourteenth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones, 1235 Stewart Street were the host and hostess to a lovely dinner Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson of Philadelphia, Pa. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, the honored guests; Mrs. Mary E. Hill of Council Bluffs, Iowa; Major and Colonel Hill. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

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She has been endorsed by the teachers of the state in state and district meetings and by the School Masters' Club in many counties. The Polk County School Superintendents have just gone on record with an endorsement signed by every superintendent in the county.

She has not only been a leader in the educational and civic affairs of our state, but has brought recognition to Iowa through service as secretary of the National Committee of State Superintendents and as a member of the National Advisory Committee on Education appointed by President Hoover to chart the course of the federal government in education.

Instead of talking economy she has demonstrated it by operating her office on a less budget this biennium than in the preceding one. This is the efficient way in which she does things.

The Negro voters should show their appreciation to Miss Samuelson not only for the above named reasons, but because she has shown a "bigness" that is unusual in our state offices in that she has one of our group employed in her office and on all occasions where subjects concerning the race have come before her, she has shown a fairness that is commendable.

Show your appreciation for this spirit by giving her your wholehearted support.

## Press Comments

"Iowa needs Agnes Samuelson."—The Shenandoah Sentinel-World, April 14, 1930.

"Miss Agnes Samuelson, superintendent of public instruction, and an ardent member of the American Legion Auxiliary, has announced her candidacy for re-election after making a brilliant record in her first term of four years. Miss Samuelson is in thorough accord with the Legion and Auxiliary Americanism program, and she has cooperated with the departments, posts and units wherever possible. She went into office without promises, has administered her office impartially, and selected assistants tried and proved by experience."—Iowa Legionnaire, March 28, 1930.

"Isn't it the most comfortable feeling to Iowa parents that school problems of Iowa's children come to honest and happy solution through so fine and capable a woman as Miss Agnes Samuelson?"—The W. C. T. U. Champion, November, 1928.

"Iowa could do no better than to return Miss Agnes Samuelson to the office of state superintendent without opposition."—The Pilot-Tribune, Storm Lake, February 27, 1930.

"Miss Samuelson is an outstanding success as an educational administrator, one of our informants going so far as to say that she has given Iowa the highest type of school leadership since the days of Henry Sabin."—West Union Argo-Gazette, April 9, 1930.

"They ought to make Miss Samuelson (teachers' resolution) very happy. Certainly they should give her honor that her candidacy for renomination and election will be favorably received. Few of us know much about the administration of her office but we do know she settled several knotty problems which have come up during the course of her term in a businesslike, fair, way and that her decisions on them have met with favor. Miss Samuelson would probably admit that she has not succeeded wholly in what she tried to do, but she has done a great deal and has done it well. If

## WANTED

Twenty-five small boys under 12 years of age to join the Bystander club for the purpose of collecting subscriptions in their neighborhood. We are planning to have a meeting at the office on Saturday, May 10, at 10 o'clock. Any boy desiring to join this club, please notify us by letter or phone 3-2822.

she is elected, as we believe she will be, the rest will be attended to."—Muscatine Journal, March 31, 1930.

"Miss Samuelson came into office with a background of accomplishment and without hobbies. That would handicap her. She has tried to serve the real educational interests of the state and been an encouragement to the teachers."—The Iowegan, March 25, 1930.

"Miss Samuelson has undoubtedly made an excellent official and the school affairs of the state are in good hands."—The News, Adel, Iowa, April 2, 1930.

## CLARINDA NEWS

Rev. January has been out of town for two weeks, but returned Monday from Maryville, Mo., where he conducted services Sunday at the Mt. Zion Baptist church. Rev. Bell and wife of Waterloo, were here Easter Sunday and held services at the Second Baptist church. Prayer meeting was held at five o'clock in the morning, preaching at eleven, and Easter program at three in the afternoon. Preaching at eight P. M., and at the close communion was administered. Bible reading from 6:30 to 7:30 by the young people. All of the services were well attended. The Chief Grand Matron Mrs. Georgia B. Cheatham of the Eastern Star, Chapter of the Grand Jurisdiction of Iowa, held a business session while here Monday with this Chapter, and left Tuesday for Council Bluffs. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. Carrie Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberson have gone to Hepburn, where they expect to live this summer. Mr. Roberson will be employed on Highway No. 71.

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## NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

To Security Trust and Savings Bank, Trustee of the person or persons 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 twenty-first, A. D. 1928, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Eighteen (18) Urbandale Oaks, being an Official Plat of the W. S. W. 34, SE 34, of Section 28, Township 39, Range 54, within and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to W. W. Hamill for the payment of the taxes for the year 1928, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Rose Youngerman, that the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to her by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completion of this notice.

ROSE YOUNGERMAN, Lawful Holder of Certificate. By E. C. Worthington, Her Agent. Dated May 10, 1930.

## NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

STATE OF IOWA, Polk County, ss. DISTRICT COURT OF POLK COUNTY, IOWA. W. W. Karlen vs. Anna Cousin; Charles Cousin; Martin Torgerson; Mary Torgerson, Maria Fern. By Virtue of a special execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of W. W. Karlen, and against Anna Cousin and Charles Cousin, on a judgment rendered by said Court on 14th day of March, A. D. 1930, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit: Lot Four (4) in Block 324 (6) of the Official Plat of the S. W. 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section Thirty-four (34) Township Seventy-nine (79), Range Twenty-four (24) West of the 4th E. P. Polk County, Iowa, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines on or before the 14th day of June, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay of the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said execution.

PARK A. FINDLEY, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa. By R. S. Hanson, Deputy. Date of first publication May 17, 1930. Published and printed by the Iowa Bystander. Publication fee \$2.00.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank friends and relatives for the beautiful floral offering, the pastor for his consoling words and the undertaker for his service rendered in the death of Mr. Thos. H. Mrs. Thos. H. Griffin, wife, Mr. Wm. Griffin, Mr. Augustus Griffin, Mr. Jerry M. Griffin, sons, Mrs. P. H. Hunter, Mrs. W. A. Clark, daughters, Elva M. Clark, grandchild.

## MRS. LULA WADDEY, PIONEER RESIDENT, DIES

Mrs. Lula Waddy was born in the state of Georgia in 1863, she died Thursday, April 24, at 10 o'clock P. M. She was age 67 years. She was the mother of one daughter and seven grandchildren, who preceded her in death. She was married to Mr. Waddy in 1911 and they lived happily until her death. She had been in the church since she was 12 years old and at the time

of her death was a member of Union Baptist Church.

Much credit is due Mrs. Jane Brown of S. E. bottoms, who has carried a life insurance policy for Mrs. Waddy for 16 years and at her death came to the home of the husband who is 92 years old and assure him that when the check comes she will turn every cent of it over for the burial of his wife. This is to be very much appreciated. Mrs. Waddy leaves a husband, and somewhere in Alabama she has three sisters and one brother.

Sleep on dear one and take thy rest. We loved you well, but God loves you best.

Funeral was held Monday at 2 P. M. at Union Baptist Church.

## WRITES HELD FOR

JESSE M. TURNER Jesse M. Turner was born June 15, at Dalton, Mo., the son of William C. and Carrie Turner. When a small boy the family moved to Moberly, Mo., and lived there until the deaths of his father and mother. Jesse was a kind and loving son, brother and friend. Always happy and willing to give his sunny smile to everyone. He passed away April 18, 1930 while at his work. He leaves to mourn his passing, one sister, Mrs. Opal White of St. Paul, Minn., two brothers, N. Paul Turner of St. Paul, Prof. W. E. Turner, of Cairo, Ill., a half brother, Truman Dewey of Kansas City, Mo., an Aunt, Mrs. Mary Jackson of St. Paul and a host of relatives and friends.

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Jesse M. Turner wish to thank his many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown at the time of his sudden death; also Rev. Brent and Rev. Turner for their consoling remarks and Tug Wilson, manager of Wilson Funeral Home and Jas. Johnson his assistant for their kind and efficient service. We hope at the time of your sadness you will find friends who will be as loyal to you as you have been to us.

Mrs. Opal Whyte, Sister, N. Paul Turner, Brother, Prof. E. W. Turner, Bro.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness shown during the illness and at the time of the death of my wife, Mrs. Lula Waddy, also of the beautiful floral offerings. I wish to thank Rev. J. W. Tuttle for his kind remarks and L. Fowler & Son for their efficient service.

Mr. R. W. Waddy.

## WRITES FOR MRS. DIXON HELD AT ST. PAUL

Katie Ledford Dixon was born in Montgomery County, Tenn., March 3, 1860 and departed this life April 23, 1930 at the age of seventy years, one month and twenty-one days. She was converted at the age of fifteen years, joined St. Paul A. M. E. church in Oakwood, Tenn., in 1875 where she was a member until she came to Des Moines in 1914 and joined St. Paul A. M. E. church where she has been an active worker, a member of Stewardess Board No. 1 and the Sewing Circle.

In 1904 she was married to Mr. Floyd Dixon in Oakwood, Tenn. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Mr. Floyd Dixon, a sister Mrs. Nancy Candler of Detroit, Mich., a host of

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We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown at the time of the death of our wife and step mother. We also wish to thank Rev. W. E. Guy, Rev. G. W. Robinson and H. L. Overton for their kind words of sympathy and Mr. Tug Wilson for his efficient service.

Mr. Floyd Dixon and Family.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy during the illness and at the time of the death of my husband, James Blackwell, and for the beautiful floral offerings. I also wish to thank Mr. Tug Wilson, manager of Wilson's Funeral Home and his assistant Mr. James Johnson for their kind and efficient service.

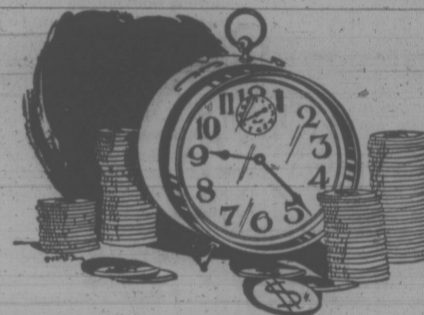
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Mrs. Bell was left a widow two years and six months ago when she lost her husband. She grieved very much over his death.

She leaves to mourn her loss, one sister, Mrs. Mammie Carter, of Pasadena, Calif., eleven children, all of Des Moines, four nieces, two nephews, two grand children, one daughter-in-law, one son-in-law, and a host of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Bell was a wonderful mother to her family, and was loved by every one who knew her. Her last request was that her eldest daughter, Mrs. Margaret Preston, take care of the baby, Freddy, and that the girls stick together and keep the children in school.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 2, at 2 P. M. from Maple Street Church, with Rev. Bates and Rev. Brent officiating. Interment at Glendale cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy shown during the illness and at the time of the death of our beloved mother. We also wish to thank them for the beautiful floral offerings and for the use of their cars. We wish to thank Rev. S. Bates and Rev. Brent for their kind remarks, and L. Fowler and Son for their efficient service.

Jimmie Bell and Family.

N. A. A. C. P. APPEALS FOR FUNDS

The first to congratulate the National Office of the N. A. A. C. P. on the Parker victory was Dr. W. G. Alexander, of Orange, New Jersey, president of the National Medical Association, who promptly upon hearing of the vote of the Senate jumped into his automobile and drove to the National Office at 69 Fifth Avenue, New York, pulling out \$25.00 in bills as his contribution toward the expenses of the fight.

The N. A. A. C. P. estimates that the cost of the Parker fight, which was carried on day and night, will be upwards of \$2,000. Telegraph ex-

penses alone during April amounted to \$301.31 and long distance telephone calls approximated \$100.00 during that month. In addition to this the N. A. A. C. P. had heavy extra mimeographing, multigraphing, and printing bills, messenger service charges, photostating, clipping service charges, as well as the traveling expenses of its staff, who addressed mass meetings in Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia, and other cities.

FT. DODGE NEWS

By Wm. Brown

Mr. J. Woods of 1424 South 24th Street, was called to Iowa City on account of the illness of his sister, who is there to undergo an operation on her eye. Mrs. Lue Johnson and Herbert Brown are still there doing well. Mrs. Rosa Guy is all but laid up with a severe cold which is bordering on an attack of flu. Mrs. Martin, mother of Mrs. John Wilson, is not getting along so very well for the last few days; of course her age is against her.

Mrs. Clara West doesn't recover very rapidly from her illness. Mr. Fletcher at 211 S. 2nd Street, had a very painful attack of sickness which lasted but a short time, but it claimed the attention of a doctor more than once. Sister Prescott of Chicago district conference, who is in the city to conduct a community ten-day meeting at Coppen Chapel, A. M. E. Church was taken very sick Sunday after the morning service, and was not able to fill her appointment in the afternoon or evening. Mother Benning gets no better, but if any change it is the reverse. Rev. Fant and wife of Coppen Chapel, A. M. E. Church, left the city last week on an I. C. train headed West. It may be that the presiding elder has assigned him a charge. We don't know. Coppen Chapel is on the boom under the efficient leadership of Rev. B. F. Hubbard and wife and the cooperation of the officers and loyal women. The Baptists are planning to take on new life; they have not recovered from the shock they got when that able leader, Rev. I. N. Coggs, resigned, but their loss is Davenport's gain. The Second Baptist Church has a rally on for the second Sunday in May, and a grand supper for May 15. Mrs. Frances Redd, of 215 2nd South, was somewhat indisposed one or two days last week. Mrs. W. A. Brown, Jr., returned recently after a visit. She is looking well.

Church News

ST. PAUL A. M. E. REV. W. E. GUY, Pastor Twelfth and Crocker Sts. Pastor. Dial 4-2534. Sunday school 9:00 a. m., Harrison Gould, Supt. Morning worship, 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:00 p. m. Evening worship, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m. Class meeting Friday night at 8:30 p. m.

ST. SIMON'S MISSION Rev. A. M. Roberts, Pastor Church School 10:15 Morning Prayer 11:00 Evening Prayer 8:00

BAPTIST MISSION 643 E. Second St. Rev. W. H. Hunt, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 A. M. Evening Services—8:00 P. M. Mid-week service prayer meeting, Thursday night 8:00 P. M.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Fourth and Allen Streets Rev. C. B. Wheeler, Minister Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 P. M. Evening Worship, 8:00 P. M. Midweek Services, Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. Attendance at prayer meeting.

W. I. HEBRON BAPTIST, VALLEY JUNCTION Rev. I. C. Garrett, Pastor Morning worship 8:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 1:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:00 p. m. Evening service at 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 8:00 p. m. Attendance at prayer meeting No.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. Ross Brent, Pastor Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; Sunday school 1:00 P. M.; B. Y. P. U. 6:00 P. M.; Evening services 8:00 P. M.; Midweek prayer meeting 8:00 P. M.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST Rev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor Ninth and School Sts. Dial 3-4075 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. C. F. Topson, Supt. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 8:00 p. m. Midweek meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00. Attendance at Prayer meeting

UNION BAPTIST East Sixteenth and University Ave. Jordan W. Tutt, Minister Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:45. Mid-week service Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Attendance at prayer meeting.

BETHEL A. M. E. E. 16th and University Ave. Rev. W. H. Ogleson, Pastor Sunday school 9:45. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. A. C. E. League meets at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:45 p. m. Prayer and class service Wednesday evening at 8:00. Attendance at prayer service No.

BURNS M. E. 611 Crocker St. Rev. H. L. Overton, Pastor. Dial 4-3653 Sunday school meets at 9:45. Morning worship at 11:00 Young People's meeting at 6:30. Evening worship at 8:00. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8:00.

KYLES JEMBLE A. M. E. ZION Eighteenth and Scott St. Rev. Percy C. Wilburn, Minister. Dial 6-5904. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor Society at 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday at 8:00. Prayer and class meeting each Friday evening at 8:00 p. m. Attendance at prayer meeting, No.

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TURNER'S RECORD SHOWS SERVICE TO STATE, NATION

Has Been Leader in Fight for Tax Relief, Equality for Farmer, And Better Government

Editor's Note—So many of our readers have expressed an interest in the primary campaign for the Governorship that we present herewith a special sketch of the life of one of the most prominent candidates—Dan W. Turner of Corning. His career of public service has been unusually active and interesting, and is well worth reading, with a view to the election in June.



DAN TURNER

Like so many other men who have taken a leading part in Iowa affairs, he was born on his father's farm, and was one of a large family of children. This same homestead, located near Corning, is farmed by him today, and he is proud to show you his hands to prove that he is no "white collar" farmer.

A Real Farmer

In 1868, Dan's father, the late A. B. Turner, also established the Turner store at Corning, and both Dan and his brother Austin began to divide their time between the farm and the store. In this capacity Dan did everything from sweeping out the establishment in the morning to delivering eggs and collecting bills. He still retains his active interest in the store, which is now known as Turner Brothers and he actively assists his brother in its management.

Dan had hardly graduated from the old Corning Academy in 1898 when the Spanish American War broke out and the call was issued for volunteers. Young Dan was among the first to respond. He enlisted in the old Fifty-first Iowa regiment and sailed from San Francisco for the Philippines, where he served throughout the war with Spain and the Philippine insurrection. He enlisted as a private and was discharged as a corporal. After his return to Corning, he continued his military service and joined the Iowa National Guard. In this he served for a number of years, attaining to the rank of Major.

A Senate Leader service to the state in 1904, when he was elected a State Senator from the Sixth District on the same Republican ticket headed by the immortal Roosevelt. He entered the Senate as the youngest man who had ever served in that body, and despite his youth, he soon became one of its leaders. This was in the days when bitter battles were being waged on "capitol hill," and Turner was in the thick of these fights, standing with the more progressive wing. During the six years of his service in the senate, it is said that more progressive legislation was enacted for the benefit of the public than in any similar period in the state's history.

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in these sessions Turner rendered an outstanding service to the people of Iowa, and won a reputation for honesty and fearlessness in legislative battles which stands out and distinguishes him to this day.

"Keynote" for Party Turner's service to the Republican party began simultaneously with his legislative work, almost thirty years ago, and he has been one of the most constructive workers Iowa Republicanism has known in the last half century. On three different occasions he has served as chairman and "keynote" for the Republican state convention—a record unique in the history of the party.

BIG MILK OUTPUT CUTS DAIRY PRICE

NEW YORK.—Increasing milk production by producers serving the profitable big city trade has created a surplus which has lowered the prices of butterfat and depressed the entire dairy industry in the view of W. F. Jensen, manager of the American Association of Creamery Butter Manufacturers. In an article in the New York Produce Review and American Creamery, "Perhaps it has never occurred to the cream producer in Oklahoma, Montana, or Michigan," says Mr. Jensen "when he reads his newspaper about milk strikes in Chicago and contests here and there with bargaining associations that these happenings have anything to do with his situation. He must now realize that they do have a very decided bearing, due to the fact that remunerative prices for milk in the milk sheds of the larger cities have increased production to a point where a large surplus has come about and this surplus is the very instrument which reduced the price of his butterfat in Oklahoma, Montana, Michigan."

This explanation of the situation in the dairy market disproves once more the assertion that the butter surplus was caused by increasing consumption of margarine, according to Dr. J. S. Abbott, secretary of the Institute of Margarine Manufacturers. "The real cause is overproduction," said Dr. Abbott. "Its solution lies not in discriminating against margarine, which is a wholesome, economical, and palatable food, but in adjusting the dairy output to conform with consumer demands."

TEA DRINKING NOW GOOD BUSINESS IN AMERICAN OFFICES

NEW YORK.—Business to the tune of tea cups is Manhattan's latest concession to the amenities of life. One may drop in to see his favorite broker and find him at tea, call on his banker and discover him with a tea pick-up in front of him, or interview his doctor and be offered a fragrant cup of the steaming beverage to loosen the humantities. The new west is emulating the ancient east in the matter of mixing tea and business, it is disclosed in a bulletin of the Tea Association of the United States, just made public here.

"Custom of afternoon tea is practiced far more extensively in the offices of the nation than most people realize," the bulletin states. "Business men haven't time to go out to a tea room and loiter over a cup of tea, so they have it brewed right on the premises. In that way the American's tea-drinking habits differ from those of the oriental.

"America seems to have definitely borrowed the idea of mixing tea and business from the Chinese. And business men have found the custom a profitable one. Not only does it give a new touch of charm to the prosaic business day, but it pepes up the executive to bigger and better things they say."

War on Insect Pests

Science has re-enforced the American housewife in her fight against the menace of disease spreading insects, by evolving a chemical pest destroyer that kills flies, mosquitoes, roaches and other no-tiring insects by penetrating to their nervous system through the breathing pores of their bodies, according to the American Research Foundation. Millions of housewives have found the pest destroyer, the most effective means of ridding the household of dangerous insect visitors.

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party. When the Republican ranks were torn with dissension during the "Ball Moose" days, it was to Turner that the leaders turned to help restore harmony, and guide the divided forces into unity. Again, when another bad split threatened, he was called upon to perform the same office, and again he succeeded. On two different occasions, he has been one of Iowa's representatives at the National conventions.

Fought for Farmer

At the last Republican convention in Kansas City, Turner was one of the four speakers selected to present the demands of the midwestern farmers on the floor of the convention, and it was likewise Turner who assisted in drafting the minority report demanding greater recognition of midwestern agriculture. This was but one step in a long record of work in the interests of the farmer—for no one knows better than he the needs of agriculture, and the problems which the farmer faces. In 1921, before a gathering of business men at the Grant Club in Des Moines, he declared: "I warn you business men that your prosperity is measured by the prosperity of the Iowa farmer. It is the duty of the government to study his problems and to aid him in securing those equal advantages to which he is so justly entitled." Before the Republican convention in 1926, he again sounded the call for agricultural relief and declared for the midwest that "We have just begun to fight."

"Governor Frank O. Lowden said of him: 'I have a very high regard for both his character and ability. I believe he would make an excellent governor.'"

Former Governor N. E. Kendall recently said: "In a political sense, one of the two best things that could happen to Iowa in 1930 would be the nomination and election of Dan Turner to the governorship."

Turner is running on a program embodying two main points—reduction of our governmental expenses through economy of the most rigid kind—and equalization of the tax burden, so that incomes and intangible property which is now escaping taxation almost entirely will be reasonably taxed, and the load now being borne by farms, homes and real property may be lifted.

WHAT IOWA EDITORS SAY

Mr. Turner is not saying one thing today and the contrary tomorrow. In the Corning candidate there is stability. If he is made governor he will stick to what he said as a candidate. —Albion Advance.

The growth of sentiment for Dan Turner for governor is the most significant fact in connection with the approaching primary. In this locality at least it appears that he will simply sweep the election. Dan is a man who has the confidence of the average man on the street and on the farm. He is not a professional office-seeker and he is not running for personal gain. He has fought in the open for a square deal for the farmer and taxpayer in years gone by and he has a constructive program to offer in his present campaign. It looks now as though he will likely be the next governor of Iowa. —Times-Republican, Corning.

From our various exchanges we gather that Dan W. Turner is having no trouble whatever in convincing the people of Iowa that he is the logical candidate this year for the nomination for governor on the republican ticket. His stand on the income tax as a replacement tax and his strong statements regarding the needed retrenchments in the wholesale spending of tax money is so absolutely sound that he will appeal to the big property tax paying population as the logical man to represent them on the head of the republican ticket this coming fall. We predict that Dan W. Turner will win the nomination by an overwhelming majority in the June primary. —Vindicator, Casey.

A "Turner for Governor" club is being proposed in this county. Other counties are organizing. The sentiment seems to be strong in most every part of the state. Here in this county the sentiment seems very strong. The county is practically united for the Corning man. Men who have differed on other things are now working together in an effort to elect Dan Turner. The people of Iowa have an opportunity to elect a man who is honest, able and fearless. His election simply means a business administration instead of a political one. Dan Turner has been called the farmer-merchant candidate. The reason for this is that he is interested in both. —Star-Enterprise, Afton.

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Total \$1,014.18 Our church is now organized into six "Team Clubs." Each team is to report the sum of \$70.00 on Monday night after every First Sunday for three months. This will give us the sum of \$1,260.00 cash at the end of three months. Bishop A. J. Carey will speak at Bethel A. M. E. Church, Davenport, Ia., the first Sunday in August, 1930, at 11 A. M. The Bishop will be the guest of Rev. H. L. P. Jones, and the ministers of the A. M. E. churches of Rock Island, Moline and East Moline, Ill. The District Conference, Sunday School Convention, Alleh C. E. League, and Mite Missionary Society of the Davenport District, will convene in Bethel A. M. E. Church June 10-13, 1930. Many visitors expected. H. L. P. Jones.

CENTERVILLE NEWS

By Mrs. A. I. Terrell Mrs. Hattie Claybrook, grand deputy of the K. & D. of T., arrived in our city Monday on special business of G. R. T. of this city. She is house guest of Mrs. Bessie Lee, Grand Queen Mother. Miss Carrie Banks is also a guest of her sister. Mrs. Helen

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Winston returned to the hospital for the second operation and is doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee and Mrs. Hattie Claybrook called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Terrell. Little Betty Jane Lee is on the sick list with the measles, but is much better. Mrs. Mayfield and son, A. M., called on Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis and family Saturday afternoon. Mrs. M. Conley and Mrs. Robert Terrell called at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Oliver, and Mrs. Lucy Bell Saturday afternoon. Mr. Harry Jeter, and Mr. A. Stewart of Okaloosa visited relatives and friends here Sunday. Mr. Joe Spears is somewhat indisposed. Mrs. Mattie Conley called on Mrs. Nell Lewis Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gordon, Mrs. Jessie Allen Gooden and Mrs. Leslie Gooden were in Mystic, one day last week visiting with Mrs. Ollard Wright, and Mrs. Cora M. Brown and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reed are the proud parents of a six and a half pound boy born Saturday night. Mother and son are doing nicely. Yes, Harry is all smiles, so is Grandpa and Grandmother Bondy and Grandpa Reed, as the other two children were girls and they, too, are rejoicing over little brother. Miss Lola Bondy and Miss Opal Smith called on the Misses Mable and Esther Jones on W. Franklin Street. The social given by Deacon C. Neal and his committee was a success. All services were well attended. The pastor preached a wonderful sermon at 11 P. M. Mrs. Claybrook worshipped with us Sunday and gave some interesting remarks. The reported has been suffering with a very bad ankle but is some improved. Buy and boost the paper.

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