

# Woman Shot, Man Dead Following Qurrael

## Mrs Kelly Is Expected To Recover

Mrs. M. Kelly, 1002 Thirteenth street, was seriously wounded by James McQuery, who shot and killed himself at 8:10 Monday evening, June 30. McQuery used a double-barreled shotgun.

Both shootings took place at the McQuery home, 1018 Thirteenth street. Mr. McQuery, in a rage over what was believed to be a lovers' quarrel, shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Kelly on the porch of his home. After shooting Mrs. Kelly, McQuery ran upstairs and shot himself fatally, death resulting immediately.

Mrs. McQuery, mother of James, heard the first shot from the garden, where she was working. She immediately called to her son, asking him what was the matter. After hearing the second shot, she went to the house, going upstairs, where she found McQuery dead. Gilmore McQuery, brother of James, witnessed the shooting. McQuery resided at 1018 Thirteenth street with his mother and four brothers, Gilmore, Louis, Quincy and Walter.

Mrs. Kelly has three children—Maurice, Jr., Betty and Barbara. She formerly operated the lunch room at Thirteenth and School streets.

## DePriest Talk Is Cancelled

Representative Oscar DePriest, congressman from Chicago, will not fill his speaking engagement in Birmingham, Ala., July 17th, as a result of the cancellation of the convention at this place. It was announced that the convention will be held at Mosaic Temple at Little Rock, Ark., on the same date as announced.

The action of transferring the meeting to Little Rock followed the burning in effort of DePriest by the Kluge Klan and warnings by the secret order for DePriest to stay away from Alabama, as reported in last week's Bystander.

Before the announcement of the change of the place of the convention, Governor Gibb Graves of Alabama advised the Ministers Interdenominational Alliance of Washington, D. C., that he did not believe it necessary to comply with that organization's request to furnish protection for DePriest.

## McGuire Name to Airport Committee

Deputy Sheriff J. L. McGuire, former commander of Lincoln post of the American Legion, and one of its outstanding members, has been named a member of the committee to work out plans for a municipal airport for the city of Des Moines. He was named as a representative from Lincoln post.

## Dr. Scales Returns From Chicago Clinic



Dr. and Mrs. Scales have just returned from Chicago, where Dr. Scales was attending the annual reunion of the former inmates of Provident hospital.

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## Iowa Masons Here Next Week

During the coming week, July 7th to 12th, Des Moines will entertain three departments of Masonic fraternity for the state of Iowa and its jurisdiction, viz: The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., the Grand Chapter of R. A. M. and the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar.

The Grand Lodge business sessions will be held in St. Paul A. M. E. church, but the public reception for the three grand sessions will be at Corinthian Baptist church on Tuesday evening, the public memorial service at Burns M. E. church on Wednesday evening and the grand musical pageant, "Saul, King of Israel," at the St. Paul church on Thursday evening, to all of which the public are cordially invited.

## N. A. A. C. P Closing Annual Meeting

DEFEAT OF PARKER FORECAST OF NEGRO OPTIMISM POWER SAYS VILLARD

Springfield, Mass., June 28.—The defeat of efforts to confirm Judge John J. Parker of North Carolina as U. S. supreme court justice, in which the N. A. A. C. P. and Negroes generally played a leading part, is a forecast of the increasing political power which will be enjoyed by colored American citizens, according to Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of The Nation, who last night (Friday) addressed the 21st Annual Conference of the association here.

Mr. Villard declared that there was hope for the Negro in neither the republican nor the democratic party. He urged that Negroes act as a bloc in defense of citizenship and political rights and suggested affiliation with the League for Political Action, headed by Professor John Dewey of Columbia university.

COLOR BAR FORMING NEGRO ECONOMIC BLOC SAYS CARTER

Springfield, Mass. July 1.—A Negro economic bloc is being formed in this country by the labor and economic barriers erected against colored Americans, according to Elmer A. Carter, editor of Opportunity Magazine, who last night addressed the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People now in session here.

Mr. Carter attributed the formation of such a Negro economic bloc to the discrimination prevalent against Negroes.

LIBERAL MOVEMENTS "UN-EDUCATED" ON NEGRO PROBLEM, SAYS DR. DU BOIS

Springfield, Mass., June 28.—That grave discrepancies exist in the attitudes of liberals and radicals when the Negro problem is concerned, and that most liberal problems are "uneducated" when it comes to the Negro in America, and colored peoples throughout the world, was the assertion last night of Dr. W. E. B. Du Bois, Negro leader, editor of the Crisis Magazine, who addressed the twenty-first annual conference here on the N. A. A. P. C.

Backward Races Occasion Wars International warfare and the failure of international agreements to limit armaments were traced by Dr. Du Bois to the rivalry of European powers for opportunity to exploit backward races. Powerful groups in the various nations were ready to "direct organized murder" in order to preserve their markets and economic advantages, said Dr. Du Bois.

Colored people, for their part, were too often provincial and uninterested

## DePriest Appoints Sheriff's Slap Disperses Mob

Confident that one youth in his district in Illinois will be able to pass the rigid mental and physical examinations for admittance to the United States military academy at West Point, Congressman Oscar DePriest last week selected three more youths as candidates for West Point.

The youths are Benjamin O. Davis, Jr., 3748 South Pkwy.; William W. Thomas, 3810 South Pkwy., and Deton J. Brooks, 3256 Rhodes Ave.

The Illinois representative, aided by a committee of prominent Chicago citizens, has combed his district in an effort to find candidates who might be able to pass the examinations for West Point and the United States Naval academy at Annapolis. Since going to congress, Mr. DePriest has named many youths to try for the academies, but only one has been able to gain admittance. That youth went to West Point, but was unable to master the rigid mathematical course.

One of his new candidates, Benjamin O. Davis, Jr., is the son of Col. Benjamin O. Davis, U. S. A., who holds the highest army commission in our race. Colonel Davis is head of the military department at Wilberforce university.

In a speech last week at Nassau, N. Y., Mr. DePriest stated that he would place a boy in West Point even if he had to finance his preparatory education. He contended that if our men are good enough to fight for the United States, they are entitled to the highest military training and commissions. Our youths should be prepared to take command in the event of conflicts in order that our soldiers will not have to go into combat led by white officers who have nothing in common with them.

The placement of youths in West Point and Annapolis has almost become an obsession with Congressman DePriest. He feels that his career in congress will be incomplete if he is unable to find youths who will be successful cadets at the academies and future commissioned army officers and midshipmen.

In general problems of social reform, declared Dr. Du Bois, who asserted that the time had now come when the failure of Negroes and liberals and radicals to understand one another must come to an end. The American Negro, he declared, needs an intensive course of study, not only in schools, but in adult life of the difficulties of the world, of the meeting of reform movements, and of the part which Negroes as citizens of the world must play in reform.

NEGRO RACE HAS COME OF AGE IN U. S. DECLARES PROF. HARLOW OF SMITH COLLEGE

Springfield, Mass., July 1.—That the Negro race has "come of age" in America and can no longer be denied the right to full manhood was the assertion of Professor S. Ralph Harlow, of Smith college, who last night in the Municipal Auditorium addressed the N. A. A. C. P., now ending its 21st Annual Conference here.

Professor Harlow asserted that the intelligence tests given during the army drafts a few years ago showed that "all races and all groups have their under-privileged and under-developed members and said that the present era for the Negro began when colored leaders in 1906 in the Niagara Movement proclaimed the Negro's desire for "every right that belongs to a freeborn American citizen, political, civil and social."

## Sheriff's Slap Disperses Mob

A hefty slap on the jaw, delivered by a robust and stout-hearted sheriff broke up an embryo lynching party here early Sunday.

The warning was landed by Sheriff W. W. Covington on a sailor who had appointed himself leader of about forty men, remnant of a mob of 200 which had milled about the Jefferson county jail during the early hours of this morning. The blow sent the sailor and his "mobmen" retreating in confusion, abandoning their attempt to remove from the jail a Negro accused of attacking a white woman.

## Rev Underwood to Leave Keokuk

A reception was given by the members of Pilgrim Rest Baptist church last Friday evening in the church as a farewell tribute to Rev. Underwood and his family, who are leaving the city soon to enter upon a new field in Kansas City, Mo.

Highest tributes were paid to the pastor and wife from each department of the church. Arthur Robinson spoke for the trustee board, George W. Smith for the deacons board, Mrs. Florence Battle for the church, Elizabeth Battle for the junior church, Birdie Williams for the Sunday school, Reed Lamb, Jr., for the B. Y. P. U., Alonzo W. Draine for Bethel A. M. E. Sunday school, Rev. D. H. Byrd for Bethel A. M. E. church, and Rev. Father A. M. Roberts for the Church of St. Mary the Virgin.

Intermingled with the tributes were selections by the orchestra, under the direction of F. D. Fields. A piano selection was given by Miss Kathryn Waterfield, a selected solo, "I've Done My Work," by Leonard Berry; a piano solo by Kenneth South Meyers, followed by impressive remarks from Mrs. Underwood and Rev. Underwood. In the dining room the honored guests, visitors and friends were served ice cream, cake and punch. Mrs. Cecile Bates is due much credit for this splendid entertainment.

## Lynchings On the Increase Tuskegee Records Show

THE LYNCHING RECORD FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1930

According to the records compiled at Tuskegee Institute in the department of records and research that in the first six months of 1930 there were nine lynchings. This number is five more than the number, 4, for the first six months of 1929; four more than the number 5 for the first six months of each of the years 1925, 1926 and 1927; it is four more than the number 5 for the first six months of 1924; six less than the number 15 for the first six months of 1923; twenty-one less than the number 30 for the first six months of 1922 and 27 less than the number 36 for the first six months of 1921.

Of the persons lynched, one was white and eight were Negroes. The offenses charged were rape, 5; murder, 1; bombing house, 1; slaying land-

## Prominent Keokuk Couple Weds

By Kenneth Smith Meyers

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The sister of the bride, Beulah Gilliam Anderson, was maid of honor in a gown of sauds with picture hat and apparel to match. Miss Mary Elizabeth Johnson, one of the bridesmaids, was attired in honeydew flat crepe and accessories to match and a gorgeous arm bouquet similar to that of the maid of honor. Mrs. William McKinley Brooks of Des Moines, as the second bridesmaid, was very pleasing in a lovely blue gown with blue hat and silver slippers and arm bouquet.

The bride was beautiful in all white with old lace forming cap and veil. Her dress was a georgette made princess style with slippers, hose and gloves of white. She carried Colonial roses and baby's wreath. Mr. Clifton Ashby was best man to the groom. Elliot A. Draine and Murist Reed served as ushers.

Following the wedding ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby and bridal party were entertained at a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby left this afternoon for St. Louis on their honeymoon. They will make their home in Keokuk.

Both are well known young people of the city. Mr. Grigsby is an assistant to Dr. Harper. Mrs. Grigsby is a graduate of the class of 1924 from Keokuk high school and is popular with a large circle of friends. Among those attending from out of the city were Mrs. W. M. Brooks of Des Moines, who is the guest of Miss Beulah Gilliam Anderson; Miss and Mrs. C. Ashby and children of Centerville and Mr. N. L. Black of Washington, Iowa.

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## Lincoln Post Organizes Civic Movement

Realizing that Des Moines afforded no concerted movement to work for better and more employment for Negroes in Des Moines, and that the lack of more representative jobs was due to the failure to create such a movement, Lincoln post, No. 126, American Legion, organized an employment and civic committee at its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, July 1st.

Commander S. A. Walker appointed James B. Morris chairman of the committee. Atty. Morris was instructed to add to the committee such members of the post as are necessary, and such non-Legion members as are necessary.

The post is also planning to put on a special Lincoln post addition of the IOWA BYSTANDER in August. The adjutant, Gordon H. Kitchen, was named chairman of the committee to conduct the work.

## Rev. Durden, Father of Attorney Rush, Dies

Rev. Frank Durden was born in the state of North Carolina. When a small boy he moved with his parents to the state of Texas. On the 24th day of February, 1876, he was married to Sarah E. Reinhardt, with whom he lived happily until his departure. To this union seven children were born, five sons and two daughters, all of whom are living.

In childhood he united with the Friendship Baptist church, Navasota, Texas. In 1876 he was called to the ministry and remained in active service for more than fifty-one years, when his health failed. In 1880 he moved with his family to Kansas, where he organized and pastored a large number of churches. He served as state missionary and state evangelist of the Southeastern District association of the state of Kansas.

In 1906 he moved to Iowa, where he also pastored several churches. In 1913 he moved to Chicago, where he united with the Olivet Baptist church and served as one of its assistant pastors. Four years ago his wife and he moved back to Des Moines to make their home with their daughter, Atty. Gertrude E. Rush, where he lived until his death last Sunday evening. In 1878 he was initiated into the Odd Fellows lodge of Palestine Texas. In 1883 he was raised in the Masonic lodge of Wichita, Kansas. In 1926 he was appointed one of the national evangelists of the National Baptist convention.

He leaves to mourn his passing a loving wife and companion of more than a half century, five sons, namely: J. E. Durden, J. P. Durden, C. C. Durden of Chicago, Gus M. Durden of Younkers, N. Y., and Aldric O. Durden of Elmira, N. Y.; two daughters, Gertrude E. Rush of Des Moines and Roxie A. Brown of Hinsdale, Ill.; and two granddaughters, Elzora White and Carolyn Brown of Hinsdale, Ill.

That a loving one from us has gone, His life is hushed and stilled, His place is vacant in our home, And never can be filled."

The funeral was held Wednesday from Corinthian Baptist church at 2 p. m. Interment was at Woodland cemetery.

## Grand Court Convened

The Grand Court, Order of Calanthe, Jurisdiction of Iowa convened at the same time and place of the Grand Lodge in one of the most harmonious and successful sessions of its existence. The G. W. C., Maud M. Brewton, was re-elected by a unanimous vote. Other officers elected were: G. W. Mattie B. Scott, Des Moines; G. W. J. W. Inspectress, Sister Emma Bowser, Des Moines; G. W. June, Des Moines; Mand M. Bayles, Mason City; G. W. Reg Deeds, Lennie M. Smith, Des Moines; G. W. Rec. Depts., Laura Rhodes, Des Moines; G. W. Cond., Fannie Allen, Ottumwa; G. W. Sen. Dis., Nannie Smith, Mason City; G. W. Escort, Laurinda Lewis, Ottumwa; G. W. H. Lillian Burrell, Des Moines; G. W. P., Alice Newell, Waterloo; G. W. Lect., Luvinia Black Davenport; G. W. J. Matron, Lydia Greenup, Ottumwa; Gr. Trustee, Mary Miles, Des Moines; chairman of committee on correspondence, Zula Turner, Des Moines. Grand session closed to meet at Des Moines on June, 1931.

## ALL NEGROES URGED TO SUPPORT CAMPAIGN FOR CIVIL RIGHTS

Springfield, Mass., June 28.—All Negroes in the United States were urged to support campaign for civil rights being waged by the N. A. A. C. P., in an address delivered at the opening mass meeting of that organization's twenty-first annual conference last night by Channing H. Tobias, of New York City, an international secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Leaders in other groups, notably the church and Negro fraternal orders, were urged by Mr. Tobias to join with the national association in its work.

EDITORIALS

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A sheriff in Alabama slapped the leader of a mob. The leader ran and the mob dispersed.

Dose of His Medicine

A great many people lost interest in President Hoover's commission on law enforcement when it became evident that practically all of their time was being spent investigating the enforcement of the eighteenth amendment.

Lynching is the biggest blot on American civilization. Mobs are killing people every week—the "citizens" of different states—and citizens are supposed to be law abiding.

Alabama

Many people boast that the south knows how to treat the Negro by the warning given Congress. It would be well to add "uncivily" for this is well evidenced by the statement from the governor of that state that he did not believe it would be necessary to give military aid to Mr. De Priest should he visit Alabama.

It is easy to see how the Negro hating element in Alabama should send such a threatening letter. But it is surprising that the better element made no effort to let the country know that they do not approve of the illegal methods of this super government of Alabama.

MISS MANUEL IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE

Miss Anna Mae Manuel, a student in the State university, is employed in the county auditor's office by Auditor Grant Cook. This is the first time for more than six years that any of our group has been employed in this office.

The Negro in America

By J. C. Brown

In politics the Negro is beginning to let the public know just how he feels about men and issues. The result has been far-reaching, as well as beneficial.

Now comes the political soothsayer of America, who claims that the reason for the great influence so manifested in the N. A. A. C. P. is that many of the best minds of the white race are active in its operation and management.

The late Booker T. Washington could not have established his great idea of industrial training without the financial backing and moral support of Carnegie, Rockefeller and others, but that does not diminish his glory.

Resigns Wichita Post To Take Up Work in "Y" in Oklahoma

Wichita, Kans., June 26.—W. L. Hutcherson, for the past nine years the executive secretary of the Water Street Branch Y. M. C. A., Wichita, Kansas, has resigned to accept a similar position with the Young Men's Christian Association of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Mr. Hutcherson will take his vacation beginning September 1, and at the end of that time he will take up his work with the Oklahoma association.

He is married and has four boys. Three of them are in school. His family will move to Tulsa in late August.

In addition to his regular work, Mr. Hutcherson has been a leader in the American Legion, the N. A. A. C. P., the Boy Scouts, and the International Movement. He has also been very active in the outreach work of the Y. M. C. A. He is a member of the Kansas State Boys' Work Committee, and was recently elected president of the Kansas State Chapter of the Secretaries.

He has been one of the recognized leaders in the high school and college work of the state, working interracially. He is also a member of the field council of the Rocky Mountain Conference of the Student Department of the association.

Last October, while attending the National Conference of the Colored Department of the National Council, at Chicago, Mr. Hutcherson was elected vice president of the National Association of Colored Y. M. C. A. Secretaries, and chairman of the executive committee. He was also appointed on the committee to assist in raising the money for the building in South Africa, and also the commission to make a four years' study of the service and program of the Y. M. C. A. in Helsinki, Finland.

Weekly Health Talk

By Dr. Hubert H. London

The increasing knowledge among women of the possibility of cancer in the uterus (which is the organ from which birth occurs) is causing them to seek examination at regular periods throughout life.

The incidence of cancer of this organ is yet so high that there must be still a great number of women who do not know the seriousness of this condition when once started.

I do know that it may be cured completely in its early stages, and that it cannot be cured when once it has passed a certain stage. These women who did not know furnish the numbers and the statistics and make up the army of those who have died from what is said to be an incurable disease.

Cancer of this organ occurs most frequently in women past the age of forty years, but it may occur in women of any age. Women past this age should have an examination every six months so that this condition may be discovered and cured before it reaches the stage when nothing can be done for it.

CLINTON, IOWA, NEWS

Mrs. Essie Parfiter Bethel A. M. E. church tag day June 21st was a grand success. The proceeds were over \$200.

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Spices, plumbago, peat and rare woods, the export commodities which brought fame to Ceylon, have been superseded by tea, rubber and coconut products as the island's leading exports. More than one-fourth of the world's commercial crop of tea is produced there. In the two chief coconut products, copra and coconut oil, Ceylon's contribution forms a tenth of the aggregate world exports. One-tenth of the total rubber supply is produced there.

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Remark That Silenced Silly Women at Opera

Who says that American men are lacking in cultural instincts and confine their conversation to the three prosaic—business, sports and prohibition? During intermission at a Philadelphia orchestra concert the other night this reporter, seeking enlightenment, joined a group of veteran music-lovers.

"So I turned to those two chattering women behind me and said, 'Ladies, you are barbarians! And they didn't talk again that night while the program was on.' " "Well, you must do better than I did once at the Metropolitan. I guess I was too polite. I said: 'Pardon me, ladies, but the music has begun.' They talked more and faster than ever."

"Aw, you don't know how. I certainly squelched two girls sitting beside me at a German opera one night. I said: 'Excuse me, girls, but Wagner didn't write any parts in this opera for female voices in the gallery.' " "Gee, you know how to do it, all right."—Philadelphia Record.

Awful Threat Brought "Half-Crown" in Hurry

Grim was the reply of the Scottish gravedigger when a certain allegedly farmer was haggling about the charge for his wife's interment. I will remember the gravedigger recounting the incident. I had asked him if he ever had any difficulty in getting payment for his rather trying work.

"Only yince," he said. "It was when Ewan Swan buried his wife. Ye mind her with the gold gann tongue. Efter I had raised my kep, as a signal to the mourners to gang, Ewan stayed ahint. Says he to me, 'What will I be aw'n ye, John? 'Seven and six,' says I. 'It's ower much,' says he, 'in ticht sandy soil like that, and he hands me a crown. 'Sandy soil or hard clay, it's seven and six,' says I, 'and doon with another half-crown or up she comes! And I never seen a half-crown come sae smart out o' a farmer's pouch.'—Scots Observer.

What a Penny Can Do

I heard a wise man say: "Give crowns and pounds and guineas, but not your heart away." Young men, however, are apt to be careless of their hearts, initials of their pounds and guineas, but rarely, very rarely, mindful of their pennies. A penny, they know, will tell them their weight, will purchase exactly one stick of chewing gum. Some may even know that a penny will light a 40-watt bulb for three and a half hours. But pennies are generally a nuisance. You get them when you buy a newspaper. You can never tip with them.

But this a penny can do, so score it less: one penny can move a ton of coal one mile, highest by rail. By sea one penny can move a ton of coal fifty miles, incidentally, is 79,200 feet.—Fortune, the Business Magazine.

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Airplane's "Flying" and "Cruising" Speed Differ

Cruising speed of an airplane is the speed at which it runs to best advantage considering all and fuel consumption rate, vibration, laboring of and strain on motor. In other words, the speed one would care to run the motor (airplane) on a long trip so that one would not burn up too much gas per hour at, perhaps, a slightly lower motor speed; so that the motor would not waste oil; so that the motor would vibrate least; so that the motor would take it most easily. Comparable to an automobile there is top speed—say 65 miles per hour—and cruising speed (speed at which a car runs most smoothly with not too much care in steering, say at 30 miles per hour). In a plane, top speed might be 105 miles per hour; cruising speed, 90 miles per hour. Speed necessary to keep the plane in air is called flying speed. Minimum flying speed is called stalling speed. Landing speed is usually about two miles per hour greater than stalling speed.

Harvest Home Festival Great Scottish Event

The annual "Kirk" or Harvest Home, is a settled institution on Scottish farms. These events are usually held in the granary of the farm, which is suitably decked for the occasion. The floor is none too smooth; but the tacking of the dancers are quite able to contend with it. The band consists of a fiddle and melodeon, and the dances bear such weird titles as "Petronella," "Rifeman" and "Drops of Brandy." The most amusing part of the proceedings comes when the steward returns thanks to the farmer for giving the "kirk." It is the one speech he makes in the year, so it is a great event for him. He usually begins in high-flown English; to the admiration of the company, but invariably falls to keep it up, and ends in braud Scots.

Hint for the Home

Women may lead in literature, divorce, glass blowing, fat girls, etc., but there is still one province where man reigns supreme. When I got home last night Mrs. B was listing about 30 degrees to the starboard and complaining of severe pains in her left side. After much coaxing I got her to tell me what the trouble was. She said she had carried in a bucket of coal. I lit into her good. I was furious. I told her never to let me hear of her carrying in another single bucket of coal as long as she lived. Her lips quivered and I thought that perhaps I had gone too far. Then I told her that if she wanted to carry in the coal it was all right with me, but I wanted her to carry two buckets at a time in the future. I don't want no lopsided wife.—Spokane Spokesman Review.

Forces in Expression

The expression, "An unlucked cub," is a strong, homely reference to a person who is crude, unpolished and undeveloped, who must literally be licked into shape by the attrition of life's experiences. The metaphor is one we have borrowed from the world of zoology. It is an allusion to the practice of the mother bear, who actually seems to be constantly licking her cubs. While, of course, the cub is not in reality licked into shape, still, an unlucked cub is such a bedraggled looking spectacle as compared with one who is, that the unlucked cub has come to take on the significance it has today, of something unflashed and uncouth.—Kansas City Star.

One's "Birthday"

The word birthday designates primarily the day of one's birth. Colloquially, the term is used to designate subsequent anniversaries of that day. Dictionaries emphasize this use defining the day as, "the day of one's birth or its anniversary." An anniversary is defined as, "a commemorative observance or celebration of an event separated by years, or by an exact number of years from some past event." On one's first anniversary, one is one year old but celebrates what is colloquially accepted as one's second birthday, but one's first birthday anniversary.—Literary Digest.

Caesar's Profound Rebuke

The following quotation is from "Plutarch's Lives": "Caesar once, seeing some wealthy strangers at Rome carrying up and down with them in their arms and bosoms young puppy dogs and monkeys, embracing and making much of them, took occasion, not unnaturally, to ask whether the women in their country were not used to bear children; by that phrase he meant and gravely reflecting upon persons who spend and lavish upon brute beasts that affection and kindness which nature has implanted in us to be bestowed on those of our own kind."

Early Arctic Voyages

The Arctic regions were explored as early as 1588 by John Davis, who in that year reached latitude 72 degrees 12 minutes north. He was followed by William Barents in 1596, Henry Hudson in 1607 and William Baffin in 1616. The North pole was reached by Peary on April 6, 1909. The south polar regions were explored by Capt. James Cook in 1774. The South pole was discovered by Roald Amundsen on December 14, 1911.

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CANTON, OHIO, WORKERS IN STREET DEMONSTRATION AGAINST LYNCHING

Canton, Ohio, June 25.—(CNA)—On Monday evening, June 16th, an enthusiastic anti-lynching demonstration was held on the streets of Canton under the auspices of the American Negro Labor Congress. The demonstration began with a big outdoor mass meeting attended by more than 500 workers of both races. A parade followed through the principal streets of the segregated colored section of the city, in which nearly all of the participants in the mass meeting attended and were joined by many others en route.

Young workers, both Negro and white, played a most prominent and militant part in the whole demonstration and parade. The parade followed by an indoor mass meeting attended by over 300 workers both Negro and white, of whom fifty workers of both races signed up with the American Negro Labor Congress. Seventeen of these applications were from young workers.

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# Society and Clubs

Edited By  
**Mrs. May Pride**

La Mercedi Five Hundred club met at the home of Mrs. Minnie Clay last Wednesday afternoon. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Johnson; secretary, Mrs. Mitchell; treasurer, Mrs. Birdie Winn; reporter, Mrs. Gertrude North. Refreshments were served and club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Nelle Esters. La Mercedi Five Hundred club girls hiked to Union park last Sunday morning and enjoyed a five o'clock breakfast in the log cabin. Each girl invited a friend and the out of town guests consisted of Mrs. Mary Ritchey, the recent bride of Dr. Ritchey; Mrs. Drew of Hartford, Conn., and Miss Helen Beshears, who has been teaching school in Columbia, Mo.

The Mary Church Terrell club met with Mrs. Nelle Esters on Monday evening. Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, who has returned from the social service workers convention in Boston, told of her travels. Mrs. Mary Ritchey was a visitor also. The club will meet next Monday evening with Mrs. Lillian Edmunds at the Community Center.

Mrs. Maud Woods of 1023 Thirtieth street has returned to the city, after spending several days in Sioux City, as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Dobson.

Mr. A. A. Alexander, who is engaged in construction work in Grand Rapids, Michigan, is in the city for a few days on business.

Mr. Wm. Wilkerson, member of the police force, has returned to the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., for further treatment.

The B. Y. W. Y. K. club of the Y. W. C. A. closed its meetings for the summer on Wednesday, June 25th. The president of the club is Clara Webb and the secretary is Alyneta Walden.

Miss Jean Spinks of Council Bluffs, Iowa, left Des Moines for her home June 23rd, after spending an enjoyable time in this city at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Fields, 769 Eleventh street.

Miss Gertrude Broadus entertained Miss Elaine Crank, Mabel Toller, Lavenia Graves, Gwendolyn Wilson and Mrs. Hazel Davis at a 7 o'clock breakfast last Sunday morning at Union park. After the breakfast the morning was spent in motoring.

A children's opera was given at the Community Center on Wednesday evening, July 2d, under the direction of Miss Bernice Mann. Fifteen children took part.

Mrs. Effie Watkins, probation officer of the Polk county district court, is seriously ill at her apartments in the Marguerita hotel.

Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, secretary of the Community Center, has returned to her work, after attending the National Social Workers Council at Boston, Mass. While in the east she visited New York, Buffalo, Montreal and Chicago.

## WANTED FIFTY GIRLS

Fifty girls are wanted to go to the Y. camp on July 28th. The very best vacation you've ever had guaranteed. Register now. Fee, \$7.50. Transportation free if definite registration is made on or before July 24. Ruth Brewer, Valetta Moore, Arthelia Wallington, Vernetta Rivers, Mary Higgins, Josephine Gater, Doris Jones, Fern Southern are already busy in the Go-To-Camp contest. Alyneta Walden is working for her little sister. Other girls may enter now. You're a little late, but better late than never. Every girl who collects \$8 will receive her camp fee paid. Girls who collect less than \$8 will receive credit on their camp fee for the amount collected less fifty cents. Get your materials at once.

The Roosevelt club will hold its annual Fourth of July picnic at Coney Island this year. The Monarch club is holding its Fourth of July picnic also.

Lincoln post, N. 126, American Legion, held its regular meeting at the Center on Tuesday night.

The Mary Church Terrell club is planning to entertain their husbands with a picnic dinner at Union park on Sunday evening, July 6th.

Mrs. Mabel Brooks spent a few days in Keokuk this week, where she took part as one of the bridesmaids for the Anderson-Grigaby wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edmunds and children, Georgia and Arthur John, are planning to spend the week-end in Mason City.

Attorney and Mrs. James B. Morris and their children, Jean Mary and James B., Jr., will spend this week-end at the William Boldridge farm in Kosuth county, near Algona.

The Delta Sigma sorority met at the Community Center on Wednesday evening.

Miss Frances Mae Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, 2828 Third street, won the diamond ring which was awarded as first prize by the Young People's department of the Corinthian Baptist church.

Delcie Cassell, Adeline Wilson and Dona Graham are taking swimming at the North High school.

Monday evening, June 30th, Miss Florida Dixon and Mr. Charles Brown were married at the home of Mr. Floyd Dixon, 806 Third street.

The bride was dressed in a beautiful shell georgette dress with a corsage of sweet peas. The groom was attired in a tuxedo.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. W. Robinson, pastor of Corinthian church. After the ceremony more than one hundred and fifty guests stayed for the reception. The bride received many beautiful gifts.

The Misses Ana Wilson, Dorothy Brown, Audra Dixon, Delcie Cassell, Atrrell Jett, Elizabeth Winslow, Venlene Reaves, Reather Wand, Geraldine Dixon and Frances Mae Wilson assisted after the reception.

Mrs. Dorothy Overton left Des Moines last Wednesday, June 25th, for Farmington, Mo., on account of the illness and death of her father. Friends express their sympathy. Mrs. Overton is the wife of Rev. Overton, pastor of Burns M. E. church.

Robert Webb and Alfred Shepherd left for Chicago last Wednesday, June 25th, where they will work the rest of the summer.

Mr. Otto T. Hall of Council Bluffs, Iowa, left Des Moines for his home on Thursday, June 25th, after spending an enjoyable time here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Topson of 1313 Fremont street.

Last Sunday, June 29th, at the home of Miss Clara Webb at 2:30 p. m. ten guests assembled at a beautifully decorated table. The occasion was a birthday dinner given by Mrs. Nora Dixon, in honor of her daughter, Madeline Dixon's twenty-second birthday. The color scheme was green and white. The guests were: Misses Bernice Smith, Geraldine Green, Clara Webb, Madeline Dixon, Martha Gater, Messrs. Chuck Dixon, Paul Allan, Elbert Webb, Alonzo Mercer and Mr. Robert Webb. Everyone had an enjoyable time. Geraldine Green took the guests to her house after the birthday dinner.

Miss Gwendolyn Wilson, daughter of the late Dr. C. M. Wilson, and

Mrs. Fannie Wilson, was successful in passing the Iowa state board of pharmacy last week. Miss Wilson is a graduate of the Des Moines College of Pharmacy with the degree of Ph. G.

Mrs. Blanche Lee and Mrs. Maud Mash motored to St. Louis to attend the Women's Home Missionary society and School of Methods of the Central West Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which convened in St. Louis on June 16 to 23.

## BROWN ELECTED TO CHURCH COUNCIL BOARD

At the first election of permanent officers in the Council of Churches of the Des Moines area, including all Polk county and all counties contiguous to Polk, held at the First Baptist church last Thursday, our group was given representation in the election of Atty. S. Joe Brown of St. Paul, A. M. E. church as one of the five members of the executive board, which will have full charge of the management of the affairs of the council in the interim between the quarterly sessions of the council.

The other permanent officers for the ensuing year are: Rev. C. Clifton Rash, of the First Federated church, president; Prof. A. W. Merrill, assistant Supt. of schools, first vice president; Harry T. Watts, business manager of the Register and Tribune, second vice president; T. R. Alexander, membership secretary of the Des Moines Y. M. C. A., secretary, and J. Roy Capps, cashier of the Iowa-Des Moines National bank, treasurer.

The other lay-members of the board are: Rev. Chas. S. Medbury, of the University Church of Christ; Rev. J. Walton Kempe, of the Grand View Lutheran church; Miss Mae Hetherington, of the Park Avenue Church of Christ, and J. H. Cochrane, of the First Baptist church.

The new swimming pool, 60 by 120 feet, is a wonder in itself. The new bath house is equipped with shower baths and up-to-date dressing rooms. June 29th will be dedication day at camp and you are cordially invited to come and see for yourself what I have been trying to tell you. The new lodge is equipped with both for movies and stage for entertainment. It is the last word in lodges.

More than 150 boys and young men are expected to sign up or want to sign for the Crocker Street Y. period this year, but unfortunately we can only accommodate 108 boys comfortably, so the first come will be assuredly the first served.

The camp period will be directed by Gordon H. Kitchen and assisted by Henry (Harry) Hasbrouck and Alphonso Spriggs. Harry Miller, who always brings a huge delegation from the East Side, will be among the popular leaders present, also Quentin Mease, our witty Yea Bo! editor. These men are seeking information to make this the greatest and happiest, as well as the largest camp period in the world.

Yes, yes—camp August 6-August 14—eight big days of fun and happiness. Send that boy. Laddie, see that your dad and mother sends you. Your chum will be there.

## CENTERVILLE, IOWA

By Mrs. A. L. Terrell  
Rev. H. Cook left for Fort Dodge, Iowa, on Monday, June 23, after ending a successful meeting with eighteen admission. Rev. Cook is a splendid young minister. Rev. Cook received many gifts at a surprise shower at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Taylor, at whose home he stayed. Rev. Taylor was well pleased with Rev. Cook's work. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris of Chicago arrived in the city for an indefinite stay at the home of Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Kidding. Mrs. J. Price accompanied them here, and is the house guest of Mrs. Leonard Lewis. Miss Josephine Smith arrived home, after several weeks' absence from the city. Mrs. W. Seff is here, visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theo. Lee. Mrs. Quantrell and family of Sedalia were house guests of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Quantrell. Her grandson, Le eAllen, accompanied her home for a two weeks' visit. Mrs. Lil Crittenden returned Sunday to her home at Warrensburg, Mo., after visiting a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee. While there she had her tonsils removed at the St. Joseph hospital. Mr. Claud Downing arrived home for an indefinite time from Fort

## Monarch's Neat Rebuke to Overzealous Priest

King Leopold of Belgium—merry old soul—had a caustic wit. On one occasion when he was at his chalet at Ostend, the parish priest approached him and asked for a private word with him. When the two were alone, the priest began to read Leopold II a long sermon: "Sire, I am profoundly grieved," he said. "There is a rumor, I am sorry to say, that your majesty's private life is not marked by the austerity suited to the lofty and difficult task which God has laid upon the monarchs of this earth. Remember, sire, that it behooves kings to set an example to their subjects."

For 20 minutes the king listened patiently to the utterances of the good man, until the priest desisted from what he foolishly is the belief that the God has laid upon the monarchs of this earth. Remember, sire, that it behooves kings to set an example to their subjects."

## Little Profit Found in Search for Sensation

A time comes to most of us when life means just a little more than playing around. We must not think for a second that there should be no play. That would be unwise. But what is foolish is the attitude that brings us to the belief that, to gain happiness—for that is, after all, what we are trying to get—we must indulge in all sorts and all kinds of fun and frolic.

Sometimes it extends beyond that: we seek every kind of sensation we possibly can in our pursuit of gaiety. Whenever a new idea is mooted we go after it with renewed vigor, in the hope that the boredom of life—as some limited minds regard it—will be changed to a really good time.

## Chateau of Knowledge

The speculative mind of man is like a colossal chess set on a bill. It is surrounded by perpetual darkness. The chateau has countless windows facing in all directions. There is, at first, but one light, a flickering glimmer, in one small window level with the ground. Ages pass. Another window slowly lights up. Gradually, as time flows away, a thousand windows in the chateau flame with light. Tower windows begin to glimmer. Finally, the whole chateau is a blaze of light. For behind each window a mind labors in a small dark room shaped like a human skull to create a light of its own. From the tower windows the lights flash the dark for a great way. But the most powerful light from the largest window is merely an inch trying to eat the Infinite—The Thinker.

## First Uses for Sideboard

The dining room sideboard once served a different purpose from that of holding the family silver or glass. The sideboard, known first as a credence table, held all the dishes that were to be served, at a dinner. An underling of the house then, in the presence of the guests, tasted each dish of food on the credence table to make sure there was no poison that might be fatal to the guests. But gradually, as people became less vicious and the desire to poison one's enemy, or friend, became less customary, the credence was utilized for the display of silver and table service.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Causes of "Blood Rain"

There are many cases of so-called miraculous showers in which the substances found on the ground did not actually fall from aloft. Thus some alleged rains of blood are due to the deposit of red fluid ejected by certain species of lepidoptera emerging simultaneously in large numbers from their cocoons, and others to the rapid multiplications in rain pools of algae and rotifers containing red coloring matter. The well-known red snow that polar regions results from the presence of similar organisms.

## "Dragon's Blood" in the Arts

The "Dragon's Blood" of commerce is a red gum made from the ripe fruit of palm trees growing in Siam and the Dutch East Indies. It is used in the pharmacy and finds its way into the arts as a means of coloring varnish and also for use in photo-engraving. It is secured from the nut by a process of stemming and crushing. The product is sent to Penang and Singapore and thence it is shipped half way around the world to points in Europe and America.

Leavenworth, Kansas. The delegates made their reports from the Sunday school convention Sunday. The reports were very good.

## Sand of Sahara Desert Carried Far by Winds

It is now well recognized that the falls of colored rain and also of dry dust that occur at rather frequent intervals in the southern and central Europe are due, in most cases, to wind-borne material blown up from the Sahara desert.

Several cases in which enormous quantities of solid matter have been carried great distances by the winds have formed the subject of elaborate investigations on the part of meteorologists. Thus during the three days, March 2 to 10, 1901, heavy dust storms occurred in the deserts of southern Algeria, and the sequel of these storms was carefully studied by Hellmann and Meinardus. A widespread cyclonic storm, centered over Tunis at the time, sucked up the dust, which was carried northward by the winds at high altitudes.

## Maiden's Heart Won by Suitor's Bank Balance

Bill and Jack, living in the same Long Island town, were rivals for the hand of pretty Betty, but although she remained neutral and showed no preference, each considered himself the favored one. They remained friends, but there would be no hard feelings on the part of the unsuccessful suitor. However, there was no curb on the manner of courting her—and that's where fate stepped in. Bill continually sent Betty flowers and candy and took her to theaters and the opera. Jack, on the other hand, was decidedly stingy. But one night, after a pleasant visit, he managed to leave his bank book behind him in a chair, as if it had fallen out of his pocket. Betty, being human and feminine, could not resist her curiosity—and that is why she married Jack. Flow-gers and candy can be forgotten, but real money in a bank speaks volumes.—New York Sun.

## Franklin's God

Benjamin Franklin's god resembled a Jehovah, surrounded by his cherubim, a deity that might have been dreamed of by a disciple of Plato. The supreme being of Franklin is separated from us by a series of beings, superior to us, inferior to him, each installed in a planet of its own, and ruling over the satellites which belong to it. As an inhabitant of the earth, Franklin thought himself obliged to worship the god who lived in the sun, and he made a liturgy for him—a kind of abbreviation of the Anglican prayers—to which he remained faithful. Like a good Platonian, he demanded of this god virtue, knowledge, an after life.—Baltimore Sun.

## Pressure of Water

Iron vessels and other heavy vessels sink to the ocean bed, and the water pressure has nothing to do with holding them up. Water is practically incompressible, so that even at the greatest depths the water of the ocean is very little heavier than the water near the surface. The volume of the ship is therefore much heavier than the same volume of water at any depth, and the ship will sink. The pressure of a fluid is exerted equally from all directions and not simply to remain suspended halfway between the surface and the bottom, it would have to be constructed of some light material and have a very light cargo.

## Reward

Russell Gordon Carter, famous as a writer of stories for boys, said it was his experience that boys seldom remember the names of the authors, but never forget the stories that they like. "One of my neighbor's boys once read a story of mine and told me about it. The fact that my name was on the cover had been entirely overlooked and he was much surprised when I told him I had written the story and pointed out my name. "Well," he said with a grin, "don't waste time bragging about this one, but get busy and write some more like it."

## Just Like a Man

Little Johnny is just picking up slang expressions. The other day the three-year-old was playing with his sister. He came to her side and put his arms around her and in a roving way said to her: "I 'love 'ou fitter dear, I 'love 'ou;—and then quite suddenly he burst out "holoogy."

## Musical Trees

One of the curiosities of the West Indies is the musical tree. This species is a member of the great pea family. On ripening the great pods split open at the edges and the wind, passing through the openings, creates the sound which gives the tree its name. In Barbados there is a large valley of these trees, and the natives, naturally enough, believe the place to be haunted.—St. Nicholas Magazine.

## 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 loved one. We also wish to thank them for their beautiful floral offerings, and the use of their cars; Rev. G. W. Robinson, Rev. Overton, Rev. Bates and Rev. Brent, as well as L. Fowler & Son for their kind, efficient services and remarks.

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## MANLY NEWS

By Mabel Brown  
Rev. Greene preached a soul-stirring sermon Sunday evening for the Mission Circle. A number of visitors from Mason City were present. Mrs. A. Moore returned Thursday from a short visit in Des Moines and Kansas City, Kansas. Mrs. Gibson and two sons, Olen and Lowell, and daughter, Martie, left Monday night for Arkansas, where she will visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Barnett and daughter, Flossie, left Tuesday evening for Los Angeles, California, where Miss Barnett will attend school this fall. Mr. and Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Franklin and Mrs. Jefferies were guests of Mrs. C. Brown on Sunday afternoon. Robert Brown and T. Barnett motored to Mason City on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Lewis Barnett returned from Minneapolis on Sunday. Misses Alice and Miltia Weatherall are visitors in Manly from Cedar Rapids. Mrs. C. Page will leave for Chicago the first to spend the Fourth of July with friends and relatives. Every one is planning on a jam up time for the Fourth. The sick list is clear for this week.

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Tiger China's King of Beasts

To the Chinese the tiger, not the lion, is the king of beasts. From childhood they are taught to fear the tiger...

Franklin's Precocity

It was in 1772 that Benjamin Franklin tried his hand at journalism for the first time, writes Nathan G. Goodman in the Baltimore Sun...

Old, but Apt Phrase

Few phrases are more apt than "all his geese are swans," which has come down to us through more than 300 years...

How to Live Long

The trouble with the rules for longevity suggested by centenarians is that they are contradictory. Their habits of life differ...

FORT DODGE NEWS

By Wm. Brown
The revival is still in progress at the Second Baptist church, under the leadership of Rev. Cook...

Face of Dead Empress

Reproduced on Carpet
Of all the carpets in creation, the most famous in that known as the Mumtaz Mahal carpet...

Ancient English Bridge

Credited to Evil One
Tradition credits the devil with the construction of Tarr steps, a prehistoric "clapper" bridge...

Labor First

An Episcopal missionary in Minnesota visited one of the outlying districts in his territory for the purpose...

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THE GEEVUM GIRLS



of conducting prayer. He inquired of the lady of the largest house there if he might hold the services in her home...

Loved 'Em All

The second grade teacher was seated at her desk. Up came a little girl with a note which read, "I love you," signed Carl A...

Measuring Moonlight

We grumble at our constant changes in temperature, yet on the moon the noon temperature is hotter than boiling water...

The Poker Faces

When Dillon, Reed & Co. refused that \$100,000,000 loan to Germany some one revived an old story of Clarence Dillon's proficiency at poker...

Why Not

Little Helen was sitting on Uncle Charlie's lap. He had been entertaining her, as uncles sometimes do, by drawing pictures for her...

POLICE BEATING ON NEGROES

REPORTED IN CAMDEN, N. J. New York, June 30.—Brutal beating of several Negroes by police in Camden, New Jersey...

DURUQUE NEWS

Clarrissa D. Gibbs
On Wednesday, June 25, 1930, Mr. Wm. Boone gave a party in honor of Mr. Clarence Martin...

court of the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, claiming of you the sum of Ninety-nine dollars and twenty-eight cents...

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In the municipal court of the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, Maggie Bowles, plaintiff, vs. Joseph Hardeman, defendant...

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Church News
ST. PAUL A. M. E.
REV. W. E. GUY, Pastor
1214th and Crocker Sts.
Pastor. Dial 4-2534.

BAPTIST MISSION
643 E. Second St.
Rev. W. H. Hunt, Pastor
Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
Prayer Services—8:00 P. M.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Fourth & Allen Streets
Rev. C. B. Weeler, Minister
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
B. Y. P. U., 6:30 P. M.

HEBRON BAPTIST, VALLEY
JUNCTION
W. G. Garrett, Pastor
Morning worship at 10:00 a. m.
Sunday school at 1:00 p. m.
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Evening service at 8:00 P. M.

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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, Nirts 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.
Mid-week meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00. Attendance at prayer meeting.

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

BETHEL A. M. E.
E. 16th and University Ave.
Rev. W. H. Ogleton, 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.

BURNS M. E.
41 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 TEMPLE 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.
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REFUSAL TO DEFEND NEGRO PROMPTS FINE
Because he refused to accept the assignment of the criminal district court to defend Rainey Williams, held in jail here on several charges of criminal assault, R. J. Jernigan, Port Arthur attorney, was fined \$250 Monday and remanded to jail for contempt of court by Judge R. L. Murry.

NEURO IMPROVES "WHITE CIVILIZATION," DECLARES COLONEL J. E. SPINGARN
Springfield, Mass., June 26.—That the American Negro is able not alone to maintain and defend but even to "improve" white civilization was the assertion last night (Wednesday) of Colonel J. E. Spingarn of New York, addressing the opening mass meeting of the N. A. A. C. P., whose twenty-first annual conference will be in session here through July 1.

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