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"About Town"

NEWS FLASHES HERE AND THERE

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The New York Age in its issue of August 1, quotes our editorial of July 10, on "The Bathing Beach Situation" verbatim. While they do not express an opinion on the subject, it is gratifying to know that it did not go unnoticed by this metropolitan newspaper.

Rev. A. Wendell Ross, pastor of Mt. Calvary Second Baptist Church, Canton, Ohio, says, "Clarence Darrow is the Negro's worst enemy." Many folks are inclined to believe that the Negro is his own worst enemy. Just a slight difference of opinion.

That seventy-year-old bride and groom at Valley Junction show that they still have faith in the marriage institution, in spite of all that is said contrary thereto.

Now that the grasshoppers are on a relentless rampage, voraciously destroying all before them, Capital will be able to dispose of (at their own figure) last year's surplus grain, mil-dewing in elevators throughout the country. Capital is so grateful for this "act of Providence" that they contemplate erecting a statue to the lowly grasshopper.

There are smiles, and then there are smiles. An East Fourteenth Street watermelon vendor lost a sale the other day by smiling too soon and too knowingly. Just as he showed down to make the purchase, he smiled as if he knew we could no longer resist our craving for this fruit. We fooled him, and left him with his jaws gaping in an utterly stupid grin.

We visited Capitol Hill the other night, to watch the hordes of harassed people lying prone on the slopes, seeking relief from the heat. All married couples slept or gazed indifferently skyward. But the sweethearts either exchanged soulful looks or looked at the big, round moon with adoration.

Moberly Eagles To Play Here Sunday

Baseball fans will get a real treat when the Moberly (Missouri) Eagles and the local Capital City Giants play at the Western League Park Sunday afternoon, August 2, at 3 o'clock.

The visiting team is under the management of Bill Gatewood and B. Allen, both well known in Missouri and Iowa. Their batteries will be Lefty LeRoy and Jimmie Crutcheild.

The Giants have been winning steadily this summer and will be at top notch.

The Bystander is sending notices to its subscribers for payment. We urge that you mail your subscriptions in immediately, as you may be sure we need the money.

TWO HARLEM PHYSICIANS APPOINTED TO NEW YORK CITY HOSPITAL STAFFS

New York, July 17.—Dr. Peyton F. Anderson, well known Harlem physician and specialist in tuberculosis has been appointed associate visiting physician on the staff of the Seaview Hospital on Staten Island, and Dr. Agnes Griffin Levy of Brooklyn has been appointed to the staff of the Cumberland Street Hospital in Brooklyn, according to information sent to the N. A. A. C. P.

Former Corinthian Organist and North High Graduate

Des Moines was greatly shocked last Tuesday morning at the news of the sudden passing in Louisville, Ky., of Miss Mildred Marshall, only daughter of Mr. N. C. Marshall, who himself passed away at the State Hospital at Clarinda a little over a month ago.

Miss Marshall was one of the most popular of the younger set about Corinthian Baptist Church in this city in which she grew up and of which she was the pipe organist at the time of her graduation from North High School about two years ago. She left the city for Louisville to take a course in Nurse Training from which was soon to graduate.

The particulars concerning the cause of her sudden passing have not yet been learned. The body arrived in Des Moines Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. from the Corinthian Baptist Church in charge of Oziel Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star of which Mildred was a member and of which her mother, Mrs. Clara Marshall is a Past Matron and her late father a Past Patron.

DISCHARGE OF SIX WHITE EMPLOYEES SAVES COMPANY \$175,000 ANNUALLY

Washington, (CNS)—News that six white men, who were on the National Benefit Company's payroll at an average of over three thousand dollars weekly, had been dropped entirely from the employ of the company by the new administration under the presidency of John T. Risher, caused a signal break in the continued lull in the voluminous legal proceedings which attended the resignations of R. H. Rutherford, S. W. Rutherford, and Mortimer Smith and the naming of Risher as the new president.

Booster Club 2nd Annual Picnic at McRae Pk. Aug 2

The Second Annual Boosters Picnic will be held at Mac Rae Park, August 2nd. The committees in charge have made extensive plans to entertain those who attend. Ruffling and outdoor sports will be a part of the program. Harry E. Wilson is president of the club.

The Southeast Des Moines Civic League will meet in regular session, Saturday, August 8, at eight p. m., at the home of George Ward, 630 S. E. 28th street. The League is sponsoring a barbecue sale Saturday evening, August 1, at Southeast 26th and Maury. The public is cordially invited to attend.

PROTEST AGAINST USE OF "DARKEY" MOVES PENNSYLVANIA EDITOR

New York, July 24.—Protest by A. W. Shorter, Secretary of the Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, Branch of the N. A. A. C. P., to the editor of the Main Line Daily Times, Ardmore, Pennsylvania, who is a southern man, against the use of the word "Darkey" has brought most effective results. The editor, in a striking editorial, promises never again to use the objectionable term and declares of Mr. Shorter's protest that "a more valuable illumination of racial affairs we have never received."

GIVE HIM A CHANCE

In his address Sunday at the 22nd annual conference of the N. A. A. C. P., in Pittsburgh, Walter White, national secretary of the organization, discussed the Communist problem and the Negro with a refreshing candor that deserves the serious consideration of thinking folk everywhere.

Christian Recorder Editor Boomed For Bishopric

INVESTIGATION REVEALS WHITES RESPONSIBLE FOR ALABAMA RACE RIOT

New York, July 24.—Reports made by responsible parties in Alabama to the N. A. A. C. P. reveal new information concerning the race riot at Camp Hill, Alabama, on July 16. Two white men and one Negro from Chattanooga, reputed to be Communist organizers, went to Camp Hill, recently and formed an organization of Negroes ostensibly to protest against share cropping. It is revealed that these organizers wrote, or caused to be written, in the minute books of the newly formed organization that its name should be "The Society for the Advancement of Colored People."

In the subsequent trouble of July 16th one Negro was killed, a number were injured and 34 are in prison.

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Jewish Lecturer Main Speaker At Meeting

M. Malman, noted Jewish lecturer and economist will appear at the Corinthian Baptist Church next Friday evening, August 7, at eight P. M. His subject will be "Opportunity At Your Door."

Coming from a race long persecuted but one that has risen above every obstacle to stand at the head of the financial world, Mr. Malman is well qualified to bring this message to the Negro. In an interview Mr. Malman states, "The Negro must produce some of the necessities of life, if he is to gain financial independence. He must build factories and compete with the rest of the world in marketing his commodities, which will in turn give employment to our children."

NEGRO SINGERS THRILL CROWD OF TEN THOUSAND

New York, July 20.—(CNS)—Hall Johnson, world famous conductor and composer, whose choir was responsible for much of the applause of Green Pastures, recent New York stage success, thrilled a crowd of ten thousand music lovers in the Lewisohn Stadium last Sunday, when he conducted his choir in its fourth annual concert at this stadium. Mr. Johnson was assisted by the Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra of New York under the direction of Wilhelm Von Hoogstraten.

The Hall Johnson singers gave a program of both secular and religious songs ranging from "St. James Infirmary Blues" to Harry Burleigh's "Deep River" and the "City Called Heaven."

Every Negro in Des Moines should hear him. This lecture is being given to help stimulate interest in a proposed Negro business league in this city.

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POLICE PROTECT GANGSTERS CIVIL WAR NARCOTICS CACHE

New York, July 24, (CNS)—Vicious attacks have been made by a mob of gangsters against the Negro tenants of 117th St., east of Pleasant Avenue. This was formerly a white neighborhood. The extreme congestion in Harlem and the terrific high rents are driving the Negroes to seek quarters outside the district.

Landlords on the fringe of the black section are encouraging the migration by offering the houses now occupied by white tenants to Negro tenants at an increased rental.

NATIVE AFRICAN BOYS CAGED IN NEW YORK ZOO

New York, July 24, (CNS)—Two Americans, Martin Johnson and his wife just returned from a hunting tour in Africa. They brought back with them many animals and two native Uganda boys all of whom they put in the New York Zoo. The native boys were caged with the animals. No distinction was made. No Jim Crowism permitted.

RECALLS SLAVE-HIDING DAYS

Princeton, Ill., (CNS)—An 82-year-old cache of narcotics beneath the eaves in a musty attic of an ancient farmhouse, set old settlers to thinking Friday about the pre-Civil War "underground railroad" and indicated, officials said, that a nephew of William Cullen Bryant, the poet, might have maintained a "station" as a refuge for fugitive slaves.

CORRECTION

The Bystander very much regrets that in the report submitted to us of the Masonic Grand Lodge meet last week, it was announced that the newly elected grand master was Henry B. Williams of Davenport, when it should have been Henry B. Smith of Davenport; we are glad to make this correction. The newly elected Grand Master was formerly Grand Custodian and served last year as Deputy to Henry E. Williams who was then Grand Master.

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WORTHWHILE HELP

Next week the boys and girls of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., go to camp. In spite of the difficulty everybody is experiencing to raise money, the secretaries and their committees have been able to secure the registration of a creditable number of campers.

This splendid showing is due to the fact that the public appreciates the worth of these two organizations, and the willingness to help shoulder the responsibility of some of the more unfortunate ones who have absolutely no funds with which to pay their own expenses.

It is particularly gratifying that one of the leading civic clubs in the city among our white friends assumes a large share of this responsibility each year; many of the clubs and individuals among our group are sponsoring one and two; one of the Drake University societies of the other group is sponsoring one girl. All of this is abundant proof of the splendid interest of friends of the two organizations.

These camp periods provide splendid training and recreation well worthwhile, thus helping to bridge a gap in the lack of recreation which we have not been able to work out here for the summer months.

A BAD EXAMPLE

Some people can do foolish things, secure a great deal of cheap notoriety and get away without much censure from the did it for a long time and finally public. Henderson of Louisiana reached the end of his rope. Now Governor Murray of Oklahoma has the stage.

A few days ago in one of his periodic fits, armed with an old revolver, he took "personal charge" of a detachment of national guardsmen, who had been called out by him to protect the state's interest in a controversy growing out of the use of a bridge between his state and Texas.

The Texas group secured an order from the federal court preventing the state of Oklahoma from interfering with the use of the bridge. Governor Murray said the court was wrong and that he would obey no one except the President of the United States. While each state in the United States is sovereign as to matters of purely local concern, it is most unfortunate that a state executive would take the law in his own hand to settle disputes when the courts provide a remedy. If some private individual made the same move against his state courts, he would be the first to speak out against lawlessness, but when the governor does a cute trick of this kind, he is funny.

Governors nor private individuals have no right to take the law in their own hands, and Oklahoma's chief executive sets a bad example, when he does so.

BOY WHO ESCAPED FROM MARION, INDIANA, LYCHING MOB GIVEN SHORT PRISON TERM

Marion, Indiana, July 17.—Herbert Cameron, fourteen-year-old Negro who narrowly escaped lynching here last August, has escaped the electric chair from which it seemed at one time almost impossible to save him,

HEALTH TALKS

By Dr. H. H. London

APPENDICITIS



states and this increase is due to the fact that castor oil, salts pills or some form of physic has been given with the idea that some other condition was present. Whenever this disease is suspected it is well to withhold any form of cathartic and call your physician to make a diagnosis. It is not well for the patient or one of the family to attempt such a diagnosis himself as pain in the abdomen (called the stomach by many) may be indicative of disease. The death rate from Appendicitis has increased in some of various organs of which there are many in this cavity. Pain in this region should not wait but should be looked after immediately. It is especially important that children have this examination as soon as any colic or other condition arises to indicate a possibility of disease in this structure. Children under the speaking age have no means (which is familiar to us) for showing the location of pain and the fact that a baby cries is not much help in the location of pain or the organ affected.

A grown-up, however, who has had one typical attack of appendicitis and has failed to have the Appendix removed will have no difficulty in recognizing the second attack. It is well to remember that no cathartics should be given when this disease is present and that the possibility of its existence should always be kept in mind when any pain begins in the region of the body mentioned.

When a jury found him guilty of accessory before the fact of voluntary man slaughter, which carries with it a penalty of two to twenty-one years. As Cameron is a minor, his case comes within the special Indiana law governing such cases which reduce the sentence to one year.

Thus ends one of the most widely discussed cases of recent years and a second time Cameron has been snatched from the jaws of death.

Mrs. F. Katherine Bailey, president of the Marion Branch of the N. A. A. C. P. and of the Indiana State Conference of N. A. A. C. P. Branches, was



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The Observer

By Chas. P. Howard

EVIL FOR GOOD

In October a memorial celebration for Abraham Lincoln is to be held near Hodgenville, Kentucky, his birthplace. Governor Sampson of Kentucky invited the United Confederate Veterans to join in the celebration.



General C. A. Desaussure, chief of the United Confederate Veterans, speaking for the United Confederate Veterans, flatly refused to join in the celebration and said further, "We were asked to join in the exaltation of Mr. Lincoln as a pattern for our children, while of all the characters before the world Mr. Lincoln is easily among those whom I least wish my children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren to follow or emulate."

Now of course this old boy did not write these lines without thinking about what he was writing and without knowing that he had the backing of his organization. To say the South is still fighting the Civil War is putting it mildly. One thing about it, they are consistent.

The United Confederate Veterans forget that just last month in Statuary Hall in Washington, D. C., a statue of Jeff Davis was unveiled, just another gesture of friendliness toward the South in an effort to patch up, if possible, such wounds as still exist.

Frankly I think the time has come to feed the South the same kind of medicine they hand out. One soon tires of patting a fellow on the back who replies by spitting on you. Entirely too many Southern sentiments are in operation in the North, for example, the policy of practically excluding Negroes from West Point and Annapolis, of violating interstate commerce laws by making the Negro accept less for his fare than others, of the Northern Republican party's catering to "lily whitemen". Countless other illustrations might be made. There is no question about it—a Southerner forces his ideas upon a Northerner, really acting as though he had won the Civil War.

Let the United Confederate Veterans stay away from the Lincoln memorial celebration! Lincoln would probably move his folded hands off of his chest if he thought they were present anyhow. But don't you forget this insult thrust at your great friend, and when you get a chance, pay it back.

awarded the Madame C. J. Walker Medal at the recent 22nd annual convocations. Mrs. Bailey writes to the national office that attorneys Brokenburr and Bailey were in constant danger during Cameron's trial and had to be guarded every minute in the courtroom by the sheriff's deputies. Cameron's trial lasted eight days and was a bitterly fought struggle throughout.

OBITUARY

Matthew Mitchell was born in Palmyra, Missouri, February 14, 1872, and died July 20, 1931, in Phoenix, Arizona. In 1891 he was married to Eva Lena Rose, who predeceased him in 1917 years ago. To this union were born eight children, Lela, Irah, Ellen, Undine, Matthew Jr., Roselle, Theolia and John, four of whom predeceased him in death. He joined the Second Baptist church at Palmyra; was also a Mason. He leaves to mourn his loss, three daughters, Mrs. Lela Crumb of Des Moines, Mrs. Undine Jackson of Chicago and Mrs. Ellen M. Bradley of Battle Creek, Michigan. One son, John Mitchell also of Battle Creek, Michigan. Other survivors are eight grandchildren, three sisters and a host of relatives and friends. Funeral services were held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lela Crumb, 1294 E. 19th street, Monday, July 27, at two p. m. Elder A. C. Chatman officiated. Interment at Glendale.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their kind expressions of sympathy, donations of cars and their beautiful floral offering at the time of the death of our beloved father, we also wish to thank Elder A. C. Chatman for his encouraging remarks, Mr. Tug W. Wilson and Mr. James Johnson of the Wilson Funeral home for their efficient service.

Mrs. Lela Crumb, Des Moines
Mrs. Undine Jackson, Chicago
Mrs. Ellen Bradley, Battle Creek
Daughters,
John Mitchell, Battle Creek
Son.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ollie Vandevier was born August 28, 1888, at Albia, Iowa, and died July 24, 1931, at Des Moines, Iowa. She was united in marriage to William Vandivier, in 1904 at Foster, Ill. To this union seven children were born, one preceding her in death. In 1919 she joined the Baptist church in Hawking, Iowa. After coming to Des Moines she joined Kyles A. M. E. Zion in 1924. She leaves to mourn her loss the following children: Opal Ball, Des Moines, Iowa; Elsie Robinson, Chicago; Minerva Wheeler, Gertrude Vandivier, Thomas Vandivier, Vera Vandivier, four grandchildren; for sisters: Mrs. Maggie Ealy, Mrs. Myrtle Knox, Mrs. May Howard, and Mrs. Lora Daniels; three brothers: Elmer, Arthur and Charley Tolson, and a host of friends. Funeral services were held Monday, July 27, at 2 p. m., from St. Paul's A. M. E. church. Rev. Morrison officiated, assisted by Deveredus W. E. Guy, J. L. Lucas, and H. L. Overton. Interment at Glendale cemetery.

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 our loved one, Ollie Vandivier; for their beautiful floral offering and donation of cars; Reverends Morrison, Guy, Lucas and Overton for their encouraging remarks; and L. Fowler and son for their efficient service.

Mrs. Opal Ball,
Mrs. Elsie Robinson,
Daughters,
Mrs. Myrtle Knox, sister
Mr. Elmer Tolson, brother.

OBITUARY

Manuel Enzer was born 1874 in Tennessee and departed this life July 20, 1931, in Des Moines. He was united in marriage to Mrs. Bettie Rhodes in 1904 at Des Moines. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Bettie Enzer, other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held from the Wilson Funeral Home Thursday, July 23, at 2 p. m. Rev. H. L. Overton officiated. Interment at Glendale.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for

their kind expressions of sympathy, their beautiful floral offerings and donation of cars; we also wish to thank Rev. H. L. Overton for his enlightening remarks and Mr. Tug W. Wilson and his assistant, James Johnson of the Wilson Funeral Home for their efficient service.

Mrs. Bettie Enzer
Mr. and Mrs. French Brown
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Abington,
Pershing, Iowa.

OBITUARY

Mr. Samuel B. Bryant was born in Osceola, Iowa, April 16, 1865, and departed this life July 21, 1931 at Des Moines, Iowa. He was married to Della Edwards, July 3, 1889. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Della Bryant; an aged mother, Mrs. Mary Bryant; four brothers: Frank, Charles, George and Le Roy; two sisters-in-law: Mrs. Roselle Bryant and Mrs. Bessie Bryant; brother-in-law, Elmer Edwards; eleven nieces and nephews and a host of friends. He joined Corinthian Baptist church seventeen years ago under Rev. T. L. Griffith. Funeral services were held Thursday morning, July 23, from Corinthian Baptist church at 11:30 after which the body was escorted to Osceola, Iowa, where final services were held. Rev. G. W. Robinson officiated, assisted by Rev. Berry, pastor of the A. M. E. church at Osceola, Iowa. The K. of P. Lodge and Knights of Tabors had charge of the body.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness shown during the illness and at the death of my husband, Samuel B. Bryant; for their beautiful floral offering and their donation of cars; the K. of P. Lodge and Knights of Tabors for their impressive ritual; Rev. G. W. Robinson and Rev. Berry for their wonderful remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their efficient services.

Mrs. Della Bryant, wife.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mildred Roberts-Southern was born in Birmingham, Alabama, and died July 26, 1931, at the age of 43 years. She came to Des Moines in 1917. She joined the Maple St. Baptist church in January 1930. She leaves no relatives to mourn her loss; but a host of friends, particularly Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown. Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 29, at 2 p. m. from Maple Street Baptist Church. Rev. A. Ross Brent officiated, assisted by Rev. G. W. Garrett. Interment at Glendale.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown.

WHITE SCHOOL CHILDREN GIVE UP DESSERT TO AID N. A. C. P. SCOTTSBORO DEFENSE

New York, July 17.—The children of the famous Manumit School at Pawling, New York, stirred by the story of the eight Negro boys recently convicted to death at Scottsboro, Alabama, have forwarded \$24.00 to the N. A. A. C. P. to aid in the defense, according to announcement made here today.

Remittance of the amount was made by Miss Sarah N. Cleghorn, well-known poet and teacher of English at the Manumit School, who recently made a personal contribution of \$10.00 for the same purpose. The \$24.00 remitted today according to Miss Cleghorn, was raised through the children voluntarily giving up dinner dessert five days a week.

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SIX TO SIXTY CLUB GIVES LAWN PARTY

The Six to Sixty Club entertained at a lawn party Wednesday evening, July 22, at the home of Miss Marguerite Emanuel, 1047 11th street. About forty guests enjoyed the courtesy. Old fashioned games were played on the lawn, brilliant with many lanterns, which added a gay and festive appearance to the occasion. Later, cards were played in the lounge. Club guests were Mr. and Mrs. Festus Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Morris De Slet, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Brooks, and Miss Florence Adams. Mr. John Spriggs is chairman of the entertainment committee.

MR. AND MRS. C. L. BOGAN ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bogan entertained at a picnic supper at their residence 833 E. 24th street last Saturday evening, the 25th. Following is the guest list: Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jeffers, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Carson and family, Rev. and Mrs. A. Ross Brent, Mrs. Celeste Jones and Mr. A. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Goggins, 145 Arthur Avenue, were hosts at dinner last Sunday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Sam White of Indianapolis. Others sharing this courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Topson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crowder and son, Ralph, Mrs. Sarah Wells and Mrs. Amanda Weekley.

Mrs. Natalie "Jackie" Donaldson, wife of Dr. I. T. Donaldson of New York City, who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Ferguson of Waterloo, Iowa, the past two weeks, has returned to the city to join her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hogssett of Los Angeles, in a house party at the B. F. Wellington home, 305 S. E. Broad street.

Rev. J. M. Eaves of Perry, Iowa, is visiting his daughters, Mrs. Ethel Blagburn, Mrs. Adelaide Bowman and Miss Beatrice Eaves, all of the La Marguerite Hotel. His youngest daughter, Myrtle, is convalescing at Mercy Hospital from an operation for appendicitis.

The Young Women's Club of Bethel A. M. E. sponsored a moonlight picnic at Union Park, July 28. Those who shared the courtesy were the Misses Corrine Marshall, Estella Bell, Drucilla Bell, Martha Williams, Myra Thomas, Celia Bell O'Bannon, Vernetta Rivers, Dorothy Smith, Claribel Bush, Margaret Doyle, Ruth Logan, Catherine Ligon and Eula Cooper. The Messrs. Gilbert Russell, Jessie Smith, Wesley Davis, Harold, and Clarence Jackson, Wm. Miller, Johnny Burrell, Sam Bell, and Luther Ligon. Messdames Mildred Barker and B. Brown. The remainder of the evening was spent at the East Side Community Center, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, hosts.

NAPOLEON MORROW HEADS JUNIOR ELKS

Twelve boys between the ages of 12 and 19 met last Sunday afternoon at the Community Center and organized the Junior Elks, under the direction of Ovel Carter. Napoleon Morrow, heads the organization as its first President and Robert Brooks is secretary. Everybody present pledged to bring in a new candidate in their next meeting, Sunday, August 2, at three p. m., at the Community Center. Remember, all boys between 12 and 19 are eligible to join. Be there—Ovel Carter, Organizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Wyatt, 1020 10th street, motored to Mexico, Missouri, last Thursday to visit relatives and friends.

ZEID TEMPLE ARAB PATROL TO GIVE EXHIBITION

Zeid Temple Arab Patrol No. 90 will give an exhibition drill at the State Fair ground, August 4, at 6:30 in the evening. Those desiring membership in the patrol must pass a physical examination, be in good standing with the Temple, and report to W. J. Shephard, secretary-treasurer of the Patrol of Sam Roane, first lieutenant. When the prescribed quota is reached, names of patrol members will be published. The Patrol meets

every Friday evening at eight o'clock, on 9th and Chestnut, north of the Shrine Temple. Mr. Sam Walker is Captain.

LA MERCREDI CLUB HOLDS PICNIC

The LaMercredi club members and twenty-eight invited guests motored to State Park last Sunday where a picnic dinner was held. Out-of-town guests present were Mrs. Mayme Diggs-Robertson of Baltimore, Maryland, Mrs. Enola Thompson-Clark of Kansas City, Kansas, and Father Bana, of Keokuk, Iowa.

OLD SETTLERS PICNIC AUGUST 6

The annual "Old Settlers" picnic will be held at Union Park, Thursday, August 6. Dinner will be served at 2 p. m. Athletic contest will be staged, for which prizes will be awarded. Free ice cream and lemonade will be dispensed. The public is cordially invited to bring their baskets and enjoy the festivities.

MRS. OLA HOLT OF CHICAGO CONCLUDES VISIT HERE

Mrs. Ola Holt of Chicago, who visited the last three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woods, 1023 13th street, returned to her home in Chicago last Sunday evening. Mrs. Holt and Mrs. Woods are sisters. While here Mrs. Holt was the recipient of many social courtesies.

Mrs. J. H. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Warren motored to Keokuk the 31st, where they visited Mrs. Carrie Keenan and other friends, and continued to Quincy, Illinois for a brief visit before returning to the city.

ST. SIMONS MISSION TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The members of St. Simon's Mission are sponsoring a "Seeing the World" party Monday evening, August 10. The motorist will start from the J. G. Browne residence (Italy), 1419 Maryland at eight p. m. and will end up at 9:30 at the Y. W. C. A. (Japan) where an old fashioned lawn social will be held. Those desiring to take the trip meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Browne.

LINCOLN UNIT NOTES

Lincoln Unit No. 120 met in regular session, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Sophie Nichols presiding. Delegates were elected for the State Convention at Marshalltown, August 10 to 13. Mrs. Lella Walker and Mrs. Helen Hudson. Alternatives: Mrs. Sophia Nichols and Mrs. Dora McGuire. Mrs. Essie Davis, chairman of entertainment committee served a luncheon, to the Unit and Post after the meeting.

THE GORDON KITCHENS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kitchen and children, Gordon and Victoria Nan, have returned from an extended visit in the South. While there they visited Tuskegee, where Mr. Kitchen was one of the speakers of the Fiftieth Anniversary celebration. Different states visited by the Kitchens were Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Tennessee, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky and the Carolinas. In Georgia the family was the guest of Mr. Kitchen's father, who is one of the old residents of Valdosta, Ga. While in Florida the Kitchens were the guests of President and Mrs. J. R. E. Lee at the state college at Tallahassee, Fla.

Mr. Kitchen was associated with Mr. C. R. Hudson of the Hudson chain stores of Georgia in conducting a professional audit of the Knights of Pythias, Jurisdiction of Georgia and the Grand Court. The Kitchens are at home for a few weeks at 814 26th St., after which Mr. Kitchen will return to his position in the Southland.

Mrs. Lulu V. Mitchell, publicity chairman of the Lincoln Unit, is convalescing at her residence, 935 23rd street, from a serious illness.

Miss Hazel Goode, of Alliance, Ohio, is in the city for a two weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith, 1699 E. University.

Mrs. Mayme Diggs-Robertson of Muskogee, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diggs, 1500 Main Street. Mrs. Robertson formerly taught at Douglass High school, in Baltimore, Maryland. The newly organized Junior Matron's Club met at the Community Center last Wednesday evening.

Attorney James B. Morris accompanied by Mr. J. W. Mitchell, motored to Mason City in the interest of the Bystander.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor

The baby contest between Bethel and Union is proving to create a very lively interest. There are six babies in the contest.

The choir will rehearse Friday evening, Mrs. Fannie Rice president, Mrs. Clara Houston, chorister, and Mr. Richard Oliver, Director. Visitors in the Pastor's home, are Mr. F. W. Smith, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, and Mr. Geo. McGill all of Ottumwa.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

By Vernetta Rivers

Rev. Brent delivered a fine sermon at the morning service to a very appreciative audience. Don't forget Women's day August 3. The men are promising something better on Men's day, August 23. But here's a tip to both men and women. The Young People's Day August 16, is going to be a day of days. Competition is going to be keen. The B. Y. P. U. opens at 7 P. M. Come out and visit us.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH NEWS

Geo. W. Slater, Jr. Pastor

The pastor received many compliments on his sermon last Sunday morning on "What is a Preacher?" Sunday at 11 A. M. he will preach on "How To Get the Most Out of the Preacher." At 8 p. m., "The Lessons of Adversity and Prosperity." The Senior Choir, Wm. Wheeler, director, sang beautifully at the Co-operative Meeting at Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon while the pastor preached a stirring sermon on Temptations. They also sang to the delight of all Sunday night. Mrs. Josephine Berry, A. C. E. League president, held a fine meeting in the evening on the church steps.

Hot for the big carnival at Bethel A. M. E. church Monday, August 2nd to 7th, with a great "Around the World Trip" taking in Zookspur, 24 miles away and return including a lunch. The church lawn and grove will be beautifully decorated.

In the absence of Sister Kindred, president, Mrs. Mary Doyle has been chosen Vice President of the Stewardess Board. The Stewardess Board will have charge of the services all day Sunday the 16th of August at 11 a. m. At 3:30 p. m. H. L. Overton will preach and his choir will sing. At 8 p. m. there will be a program of music and literary numbers. They are also sponsoring the great entertainment by the Radio Club for Friday night August the 21st. Sister Iva Liggins, President.

Rev. J. L. Lucas, pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church will preach the Annual sermon to the Mission Circles of the city Sunday morning at 6:00 a. m. at Bethel. Breakfast will be served in the church basement immediately following the services.

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To Fred Austin, Madge G. Austin, Elizabeth Wilson Shier, W. H. Wilson, John Young, F. L. Meredith, W. P. Gault, A. J. Small, Lloyd H. Williams, L. Harbach's Sons Company, Norman & Leake, F. L. Greenlock, Elmer Quist, Stewart & Hextall, Albert J. Reynolds, Polk County, Iowa, W. W. Shackelford, Louise Shackelford, Cash Erwin, Valeria Erwin, Mary A. Lawless—successors in interest of above parties. You are hereby notified that at the expiration of thirty (30) days from and after the completed service hereof, the undersigned will declare a forfeiture and cancellation of the contract dated July 16, 1931 for the sale by W. H. Risser, to Fred Austin and Madge G. Austin, of real estate in Polk County, Iowa, as therein mentioned and described as follows, to wit:

Lot 31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-1226-1227-1228-1229-1230-1231-1232-1233-1234-1235-1236-1237-123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PERRY, IOWA, NEWS

Miss Bernice Blanks of Kansas City, Missouri, is returning home after visiting with her parents for three weeks...

out after several days illness. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mash and Mr. David Mash and wife of Des Moines...

ALBIA, IOWA, NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Elko, Nevada, who have been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Anna Davis...

PEORIA, ILLINOIS, NEWS

By Miss Ruth Black. Mr. Samuel Martins brother, Jess, of Indianapolis, Indiana, have been visiting their sister-in-law, Mrs. Blanche Martin...

MASON CITY, IOWA NEWS

The Sengalese Drum Corps and Ladies Auxiliary plan to participate at the State Convention, Davenport, Iowa, August 2, 3, 4, and at Clarion, Iowa, Legion Day, August 14...

CENTERVILLE, IOWA, NEWS

By Mrs. A. L. Terrell. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Downing and her mother, Mrs. Emma Hicks, visited in Kirksville, Missouri last week...

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., NEWS

The evangelistic meeting held at the St. John's Baptist church by Rev. A. Burke of Sioux City, Iowa, will continue for another week...

for their vacation. Mrs. C. E. Golden of Rock Island, and Mrs. Samuel Britton of Moline, Illinois, are visiting in the city as the guests of Mrs. Elnora Gresham.

ALBIA, IOWA, NEWS

The pastor spoke on Peace, at the Sunday morning services. The church has been invited by the ministerial alliance to attend a six weeks union meeting...

ANTIOCH CHURCH NEWS AT WATERLOO, IOWA

The Sunday school is progressing with the rally. Rev. C. W. Turner preached Sunday morning and evening services...

ZOOKSPUR, IOWA—NEWS

Joanne Brooks, Reporter. Mrs. and Mrs. Claud Frazier are the proud parents of a baby girl born Saturday, the 25th...

WOMEN'S DAY AT MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, August 2, the ladies of the church, under Mrs. Doris W. Brent, will have charge of the services all day in an effort to raise their quota of one hundred dollars...

STEALS \$65,000 LOCOMOTIVE. GETS TWELVE MONTHS IN PRISON

Charlotte, N. C.—(CNS)—Ernest Bryd, accused of the theft of a \$65,000 locomotive from the Southern Railway yards here was convicted Tuesday and sent to prison for twelve months...

OSCEOLA, IOWA, NEWS

Mr. Rice and Mr. Riley visited in the city Sunday. Mrs. Joe Wilson is spending the week end in Des Moines at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bannister...

CORRECTION: By mistake it was stated in last week's issue that the Royal Eight Bridge Club played bridge after their breakfast given at S. W. 21st St. and Watrous Avenue. They wish to correct this assertion.

ALBIA, IOWA, NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Jorson of Ottumwa, Mrs. Cook of Burlington, motored to Albia on Sunday and spent a few hours at the home of Mrs. G. A. Davis...

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Dorothy Brown, Reporter. The morning services with one more addition to the church, and Sunday school attendance keeps up in spite of the extremely hot weather...

Dr. Lew Arntz, O.D.

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Suggest Reduction of Presiding Elder

Mr. Editor: Both because your paper reaches nearly every important member of the A. M. E. church in the Northwest Conference while my church organer which I am discussing, I will appreciate very much the publication of this article...

At my recent District Conference, for the reduction of the cost of administration which we found had become too much of a burden, I advocated that there should be no more than one Presiding Elder in the Northwest Conference instead of three which we now have...

My reasons for my position are as follows: First, Page 136 in the A. M. E. Book of Discipline, the law is "The territory of every Annual Conference (except mission conferences too small) shall be divided in districts, each embracing from twelve to twenty pastoral charges and from two to three thousand lay members..."

In the Christian Recorder of July 9 is printed the report of Commission of Survey of Missionary Condition in the A. M. E. Church. This Commission was appointed by the Bishops Council in June, 1930, at San Antonio, Texas, and is composed of some of the ripest scholars of the ministry and reaches only a few and also because of the quasi-public nature of the material of the church...

Secondly: At most we have only 38 preaching points in the whole Northwest Conference with half of these points very small and not able to give a pastor anything like a comfortable living. To heap on that a costly P. E. system which is altogether unnecessary is very unjust. If

MISSISSIPPI FARMER HOLDS LICENSE 18 YEARS; MARRIES

Jackson, Miss., July 24—(CNS)—More than 18 years ago a 26-year-old delta colored farmer took out a marriage license. The date exact was March 1, 1913. Subsequent events disclosed that nothing happened. Now comes the record bearing a notation of Circuit Clerk C. H. Fisher, of Yazoo county: "This ceremony just performed."

the larger churches would require the presence of the P. E. only at one service on Sunday or just once during the week, as my church has already unanimously voted, one P. E. could cover the whole conference in at most 45 days out of the possible 90 days in the Quarter. This would leave him 45 extra days for Missionary and Conference development work that is so sorely needed in the missionary conference. Three P. E.'s at \$1,200 per year (a shame and a disgrace) is \$3,600; one P. E. parsonage furnished at \$300; board and room \$325; three District Conference expenses \$150 makes a total of \$4,375. One P. E. could be given \$2,250 a year; parsonage at \$300; and the cost of one District Conference at \$50 which would make a total cost of only \$2,600—a saving of \$1,775 a year. And the Pastor-P. E. system at \$400 would be a saving of \$3,975 annually.

Thirdly: I believe that if the matter was put rightly before our larger churches as it has been put to mine that these larger churches will be glad to free the P. E. or to take the Pastoral-P. E. system in order to save them the vast unnecessary financial burden and at the same time give the P. E. a greater opportunity to do the sorely needed missionary and conference development work. The Michigan Conference is doing something of this kind. In 1930 the Michigan Conference reported about 10,000 members with 41 preaching points. For these ten thousand members and 41 preaching points this conference has but two Presiding Elders who visit a church at only one service on Sunday; and one of the very largest charges has the P. E. at no service on Sunday. For P. E. salary the Michigan Conference pays only from 40c to 80c per member while this little Northwest Conference pays from 80c to \$1.25 per member annually.

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The Women's Mite Missionary Society, 25 per cent. (b) W. H. and F. M. Society, 15 per cent. (c) Department of Missions, 50 per cent. The report of the Secretary of Missions for 1924-1928 indicates in West Africa an average salary for the paid workers of \$240.00 per year. The South African seems to be considerably less. In South America a little more and in the West Indies the average is about the same as in South Africa. These quotations show that while our archaic system wastes our money the real workers are going without proper care.

Bishop Parks who as chairman of the eight bishops who endorsed the findings of this survey, when he succeeded to this Episcopal District with an Episcopal District about \$1,500 a year, and he has also put into the treasury of the Northwest Conference about \$651.00.

Geo. W. Slater, Jr., Pastor Bethel A. M. E. Church, 1524 E. University Ave. 6-6603

Mason City continued

J. D. Newsome were guests at Paul Scott's residence last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lory and Mr. C. Brown were guests at the Garwood Home. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kipper are the proud parents of an eight pound daughter. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Referee's Sale Of Lots

Two vacant lots which do not adjoin each other, near the corner of Sampson and Cleveland, may be purchased for \$35.00 each; title "as is"; abstract "as is". Terms cash. This is a real opportunity to buy real estate at "rock bottom". For further particulars call

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show put on by the arena and Shamrock Clubs.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa. STATE OF IOWA vs. Edward P. Donahay and Edward P. Moroney, Executors of the Estate of H. M. Donahay, Deceased; John J. Donahay and Rose Donahay; Katherine T. Moroney and Edward P. Moroney; William P. Donahay and May Donahay; Thomas F. Donahay and Elvera Donahay; Edward P. Donahay; Jim Mitchell and Marie Mitchell; George Dole and Lois Dale; A. Irene Moroney; M. A. Carnody; Charles R. Tunnell; Polk County, Iowa and Security Savings Bank of Valley Junction, Iowa. By virtue of a special execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of First National Bank of Valley Junction, Iowa, and against Edward P. Donahay and Edward P. Moroney, Executors, on a judgment rendered by said Court on the 13th day of July A. D. 1931, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described real estate be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit: Lot 2 and 15 in Block 1, in Bennett's Addition to the Town of Valley Junction, Polk County, Iowa.

Therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear in my office in Des Moines on or before the 25th day of August, A. D. 1931, 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, with interest and costs, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said execution.

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C. F. KEELING, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa. By C. C. KOONS, Deputy.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern: That the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of Iowa has issued Truck Operator Rate Schedule No. 2 providing rates for the transportation of all freight with Sioux City, Iowa, and from Sioux City and Household Goods between Sioux City, Iowa, and all points in Lyon, Missouri, including Bennett, Stuart, O'Brien, Clay, P. & A. O., Plymouth, Cherokee, Buena Vista, Calhoun, Woodbury, Ida, Sac, Calhoun, Monona and Crawford counties, Iowa; that said schedule will become effective July 31, 1931; and that copies of said schedule may be secured from said Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF IOWA. Geo. L. McCaughan, Secy.

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Lawyer A. P. Chamberlin (Deceased) Spoke Very Complimentary of Lew Arntz.

Des Moines, Ia., July 10, 1915. This certifies that about five years ago I was compelled to undergo an operation in having my right eye removed, as it had been blind for some time and was interfering with the left eye. The operation was successful with the exception of leaving the socket so irritable that I was unable to see. I consulted the best eye specialist in Iowa, Kansas City, Mo., Washington, D. C., and Chicago, Ill., who all tried their best to do me, but utterly failed and after repeated trials positively declared I could never wear an artificial eye. About eight months ago I consulted Lew Arntz, who I knew had quite a large practice in the optical line and here is where I met with success. Lew Arntz refitted an ordinary artificial eye, reattached it by grinding away certain parts so as to make it fit the irritable socket. I wore it a few days when he again changed it for a larger and more perfect one. He changed from time to time until now I am able to use an ordinary artificial eye. Several of the first ones had to be replaced in order to form a groove or groove back of the lower lid, which was particularly annoying and caused me to lose my eye. This took a great deal of skill and patience, which I have reason to believe Lew Arntz possesses. He has also fitted glasses to my left eye, which are very satisfactory and better than any other gotten elsewhere as I can use them for both far and near seeing. Of course, my sight is not perfect, but is at least 100 per cent improved when using the glasses prescribed by him. I therefore can cheerfully and unhesitatingly recommend him to others in need of optical services.

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