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MR. DE PRIEST

Representative De Priest has made friends for himself as a leader and for the race because of the sane advice he gives his audiences. The address in Des Moines Friday night was no exception to the rule.

Many people expect him to abuse the white people and advise Negroes to turn the world over in one day. Far from that. He simply emphasizes what we already know and strikes out in no uncertain words for all the rights any other man asks.

This is especially encouraging in these days of confusion that a man in his position does not take advantage of the times and stir the people into hysteria.

GOVERNOR TURNER

Governor Turner has been forced to call out the militia to enforce the law. He did this after taking every reasonable step to pacify the farmers who objected to submitting their cattle to a tuberculin test.

As much as anyone may dislike to call on the military forces to enforce civil law, no sensible person can do other than commend the Governor for his action. If a group is allowed to violate the law openly, obeying such as they feel justified in observing, we might as well close up our legislative bodies and courts.

THE BYSTANDER READERS COOPERATE

The Bystander is finding it necessary to reduce the size of many articles which heretofore would have been published in full, because of economy measures. In the meantime it is highly necessary that our subscribers continue to pay their subscriptions and generally support the paper. With the help of all we can carry on.

The unfortunate situation about the unemployment problem is the refusal of all of the committees appointed to deal with the subject to face facts. The dole or charity won't remedy the situation.

It is surprising that even though France suffered most during the world war, conditions are better there than in any of her former allies. We need to take some lessons from the French.

Representative De Priest said that the Republican party must make miracles in order to win next year. True, but the miracles must begin now to make any difference in the final results.

The War Department says "No provisions have been made for Negroes in the air corps". We knew that long ago, but it's a pretty good idea to let somebody else know the tricks they constantly play on the Negro.

ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE
LAST "HOUSTON MARTYR" MADE
New York, Sept. 25.—Stewart Phillips, the last member of the 24th Infantry imprisoned for taking part in the 1917 Houston riot, will be eligible for parole and release from Leavenworth Penitentiary, if the recommendation of Warden T. B. White

HEALTH TALKS

By Dr. H. H. London

DIPHTHERIA

Of all diseases Diphtheria is the one most to be dreaded in childhood. When a case is once so diagnosed and determined to be Diphtheria the outcome cannot be foretold with any certainty. In the discovery of the antitoxin the disease would in many instances end fatally. The antitoxin does cure if used early in the disease and in sufficient quantity. The location is in the throat as is generally known and from there it spreads its poisons to all parts of the body.

In bygone days it was not unusual for whole families to be attacked at the same time or in succession it being transferred from one child to another where there were several children in the family and it has seemed that even the houses in which persons lived and had the disease were capable of infecting other persons moving in later. Such a condition could not exist however if fumigation was carried out as it is today. This does nevertheless give some idea of the contagiousness and infectiousness of this disease. Sore throats are so common that persons are apt to neglect them and gargle many things without result only to find that Diphtheria is present and has had time to spread poisons into the system. The heart is frequently picked out as the organ for this attack.

The development of an inoculation which acts in about the same way as vaccination does in Small Pox protects absolutely against Diphtheria and with such knowledge of such protection given by an inoculation which marks such a scientific advance it should be made use of wherever possible and whenever necessary.

Two days later I sat in the palaver kitchen of the equally beautiful Buzi town of Sulema and listened to the chief through my interpreter tell me the most interesting tale. His taxes are also collected two or three times a year, but as he rules a slightly smaller district than colleague at Voni Jessu, he must furnish to the district commissioner only eight forty-pound hampers of rice and five gallons of palm oil every moon.

Two weeks later I sat in front of the great house in the newly built town of Goh in the Kwessu country, while the funny little chief with braided hair, a skirt-like garment and a large native sword swung to his side, complained of having to twice pay taxes of five shillings in the space of one year, besides sending to the authorities each month three forty-pound hampers of rice, and four gallons of palm oil.

It is a mighty long distance from Gonne to Goh and there are scores of towns between, but everywhere I found the story much the same. Those in America who buy their rice in neat packages from the corner grocer and pay hundreds of dollars, perhaps, in taxes every year can hardly appreciate what these exactions mean to the poor native in the Liberian hinterland.

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Let us take those neighboring towns their tribute to their masters. Together they send in nineteen hampers, or approximately 760 pounds of rice

monthly, the total for the year being the enormous quantity of 9,120 pounds, or nearly five tons! The ten gallons of palm oil furnished by these two villages grow in a year's time to 120 gallons, or approximately four barrels! In addition, they must pay their but taxes in British silver (there being no Liberian coin larger than a copper two-cent piece). This means that Voni Jessu, which has around 120 houses, must pay taxes of 540 shillings, or \$129.60, not once, but two or three times a year, according to the caprice of the Liberian officials.

The Liberian system of communications is terrible. Only trails are available and where the government sought during the halcyon days of the notorious Department of Public Works to build roads with forced native labor using sticks (and surveyed by the blowing of a horn), ignorance of engineering and encroachment of jungles, has made them impassable for anything but foot travel. As the natives are forced to sell their produce on the coast if they are to get their British silver with which to pay their but taxes, they must undergo a tremendous loss in sending carrier over the trails with rice and palm oil, the standard commodities. From a fairly central point it takes a carrier from five to six days to get to Monrovia and perhaps ten days for the round trip. His forty-pound hamper of rice will perhaps bring \$1.50 if the market is high.

Paid? Of Course Not!
The carrier must eat at least ten pounds of rice on the trip, which reduces the actual receipts to about \$1.15. If the carrier got paid for his time and labor at the standard rate of one shilling a day, the village would actually lose money by sending to Monrovia with the rice. But of course he doesn't get paid.

It is plain the huge quantities of rice and palm oil which a village like Voni Jessu must raise in order to pay taxes and also furnish the requisitions. It is, in fact, laboring almost wholly in order to meet the exactions of the Liberian officials. In order to grow the rice the jungle must be cut and burned, then the rice planted and tended by the women and constantly watched to keep rice birds away. Then it must be harvested and threshed by treading and finally winnowed. It is a long and laborious business executed in the primitive way. The palm oil is almost as difficult to prepare for use.

What is true of the villages I have named is true of hundreds I have not named. They must all make their requisitions and pay their taxes in

OPEN FORUM

THE NEGRO REPUBLICAN VOTERS LEAGUE

J. G. BROWNE

It can be done. It took hard work but faith without work is dead. The Negroes of Iowa are awake to the fact that the salvation of the race depends upon our ability to organize unselfishly for the general good and the weather last Friday night was an acid test for loyalty and devotion to a principle. Now we who braved that chilly breeze to hear and see our distinguished visitor and guests have uttered not one word of regret for having done so and that is encouraging.

We wish to offer a few words of praise for Washington's band concert and the chorus under the leadership of W. J. Shepherd was equally proficient. The junior orchestra also deserve honorable mention. Our aim is to promote racial enterprise.

Mr. DePriest's address was a boon and stimulant toward race solidarity which we know was very effective upon all who heard him.

The delegates heartily endorsed the program as presented by the officers of the league among which were the following recommendations:

1. That this organization send a delegate to the National Convention in Washington, D. C., December 2 to 4, 1931.
2. That the Negro Republican Voters League incorporate.
3. That the membership throughout the State be assessed \$1.00 per year, 65% of which goes to the local organization and 35% to the State League.
4. That the Iowa Bystander be made the official organ of the State League and that all members boost the subscription in their respective communities.

These resolutions as presented by the State Chairman J. G. Browne, were unanimously adopted and made a part of the laws.

The address of the executive director, Rev. O. H. Patten of Waterloo, and the report of Mr. Harry E. Wilson, the secretary, were well presented.

Slavery In Liberia

By George S. Schuyler

(A Capital News Service Feature)
This series of articles was prepared by Mr. Schuyler after his visit to Liberia where he was sent by the publishing house of Brewer, Warren & Putnam, Inc., and also acted as special correspondent of the New York Evening Post. Mr. Schuyler is at present at work on a book about Liberia for the publishing house of Brewer, Warren & Putnam, Inc., through whose courtesy this series of articles is republished.

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Another Tale of Tribute

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British silver, once and perhaps three or four times a year. Of course, there are few towns that can do it, with the result that the Government in most districts cannot collect more than one-third of the taxes. Generally the revenue collector or his messenger gets what he can and threatens about the rest.

PATIENCE IS KEY TO DOG TRAINING

Use Tact and Kindness to Bring Out the Best of Animal's Ability.

A properly trained dog is a delight to himself and his master. He loves to do his master's bidding, and were every dog well-trained there would be little complaint about dogs and their deeds, states the Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Illinois.

Probably 95 per cent of dogs have the ability for training and only require effort, patience and repetition to bring it out of them.

The early training of a dog is most important. A dog, not trained or disciplined during the first twelve months of his life, will not be nearly so manageable and dependable when grown.

Only one person should be the dog's instructor during the entire course of



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training. After a dog is trained, he should go through the commands for anyone who gives them properly.

The first and biggest lesson you can teach him is obedience, founded upon full confidence in you as his master. All the rest will take care of themselves as a matter of course.

Causes of failure to secure obedience from a dog after weeks of training may be set down as two. The first has not been repeated often enough or it has been repeated too many times on the same day. Two or three commands a day are sufficient. But stop work only on a successful performance.

A dog does not know the difference in the meaning of words. After many trials and much work he can be taught to do so and so when a certain word is spoken. But the meaning of the word itself is beyond him. A word spoken in a kind way will make him glad and wag his tail; the same word spoken in a rough way will make him run in fear.

Another cause of poor control over a dog is failure to reward him. A dog likes to be praised and feet that he is appreciated. A kind word, a pat on the head will usually go about as far as anything else. A bit of such food as kibbled biscuit, given at the end of each successful act helps him to feel that he is appreciated.

Simple Facts of Dog Feeding Told

If the feeding of your dog presents itself as a weighty problem, take heart!

According to the Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Illinois, here is all that you need to know about his feeding:

1. Feed one heavy meal a day, preferably in the evening. Feed the light meal in the morning. Puppies require three to five meals a day, depending on their age. Feed at the same hours each day.
2. Meat is the dog's natural diet. If you feed your dog a prepared, well-balanced meat food, with dog biscuits for variety's sake, he will need nothing else.
3. Don't feed table scraps, potatoes, boiled eggs or pork, and don't serve soupy foods. Beware of chicken and fish bones. Dogs care nothing for sweets until taught to like them.
4. Provide plenty of water.
5. Never allow violent exercise directly after feeding.

If a dog does not take readily to biscuits, which are essential to keeping his gums hard and teeth clean, it is suggested that kibbled or broken biscuits be gradually incorporated into his regular ration until he gets used to eating them.

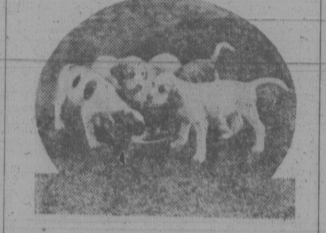
U. S. BOY-DOG CONTEST

The sum of \$25,000 in cash and fame by having their likenesses reproduced in oil on canvas is being offered by the Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Ill., in its contest to find America's typical boy and dog. The contest closes September 15th.

Favor Getting a Puppy to Buying a Mature Dog

Hints on Care and Training Given by Kennel Foundation.

Dog or puppy?
The choice of one or the other must be made by everyone who contemplates adding a canine pet to his household, states the Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Illinois. While some prefer a perfectly-trained grown dog, most people are inclined to agree with Albert Payson Terhune that a puppy is more desirable. For one thing, a puppy does not cost as much



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as a grown dog, and its future is entirely in your own hands.

Eating is the biggest thing in a puppy's life and what and how he eats will either make or break him, according to the foundation. "Little and often" is probably the best rule of successful puppy rearing. Feed four or five times a day from weaning time till four months of age and no more than four times a day at six months. Increase the ration as you decrease the number of feedings, but never serve more than just a trifle over what the puppy will eat up quickly. When the average puppy is at the end of twelve months ready to enter full doghood, he should be getting no more than two meals a day, and preferably one. If the puppy does not finish the meal provided for him, what remains must be removed in a few minutes and nothing else should be given until the next feeding hour.

By nature the dog is a meat-eating animal, but under today's domestic conditions, fresh raw meat from the butcher's is much too concentrated a diet. Research workers who have given thought to this problem in recent years have been able to develop scientifically-balanced canned meats for the use of dog and puppy feeding. They contain all the elements necessary for proper growth and development.

Both puppies and dogs especially relish those made from horse meat. A part of every puppy's ration should be some dry food which has been softened with milk or water. This may be only a teaspoonful at a time, but should be increased as the puppy grows older.

As the puppy grows older and its teeth stronger, dog biscuits, kibbled or whole flour may be substituted. The biscuits afford the exercise demanded by the puppy's jaw and serve to keep his teeth clean. Teach your puppy to eat at a regular place and time. Having regular eating times will be a big aid in housebreaking him. Make it a practice to take him out for a walk shortly after feeding.

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Lot Thirtysix (36), Block Seven (7), Sunnyside Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold to E. M. Hedinger for the payment of the taxes for the year 1929, thereon, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, therefore, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by W. W. Wise of Des Moines, Iowa.
That the time for redemption from said sale will expire and a deed for said lot will be issued to him by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, unless redemption from said sale be made within ninety days from the completed sale of this notice.
Dated September 5, 1931.
Sale book 45, page 98.
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GENUINE AND UNQUALITY FROM ILLINOIS

Mrs. Brady Madison, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Smith, who has friends in the city but also in the country. Little Patricia Jones, honored by fifty-five party at the home of Harry Smith to her birthday. Four guests including Pa. Mrs. Estelle Stratton, grandmothers, Mr. Stratton, and great-grandmother, Mrs. E. scheme of pink and white decorations. Gifts were presented. Balloons were the guests.

OSCEOLA

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. and Mrs. Iowa, were guests of Walter Griffin's end. Mr. and Mrs. Rock Island, Ill. and Mrs. Jacob D. Anderson and son are the guests of Wilson. The A. M. will furnish a trip Sunday at church. The Sunday School, B. a discussion, subject Most Effective Outside of the and Mrs. Harry Forrest. Mr. D. Des Moines were Sunday at a Mr. Roy Danster Griffin entered Rhodes at a Sunday. Mr. W. the week-end. Mary Bryant is

CENTURY

We were glad Hopkins Sunday, left for home for meeting at Second John D. Ewing Monday with her Jones and family her sister Mrs. family in Mystic. still on the sick bed is quite ill. M. ed in Mrs. A. L. Harmony club with the home of Mrs. O. E. S. chapter by Mr. and Mrs. day afternoon. The city are rejoicing Mr. John Ewing Saturday and Sunday. John Ewing and Mona spent Friday home of Mr. and Mrs. They also called on H. A. White. Mrs. turned home Sunday. He is recovering. Mr. Leonard to resume his work and not Mrs. Lewis has moved to East Mission Circle with service Sunday after

WATERLOO

By Rev. E. A. M. E. C. Cole visiting friends. East St. Louis is and brothers. Mr. sires to thank her their kindness shness and passing Joyce. Mr. Nathaniel spent the week-end Frank Taylor, Dr. gerson and Dr. armotored to Detroit. Madam Smith friends here. P. M. Lewis have Moines, where Northwestern Con. E. church. Mrs. M. Comb, Mississippi Spencer on Sunday friends. Mrs. James home at 820 1/2 Services were well Baptist church. preached. Gilbert from Des Moines and John Brown few days here in Reed of Benton spent several day week. Mrs. Man stopped at the home visited her sister Alice Wilson in Iowa City, Miss. Sunday in Iowa C. R. Cheatham sister, Mrs. A. C. law Mrs. Katie I. Wednesday by

Society and Clubs

Edited By Virginia Stewart-Dixon

POPULAR COUPLE WEDS

A wedding announcement of interest to Iowans, particularly Des Moines and Keokuk society, is that of Mr. Seneter Ernst Whittaker, son of Mrs. W. A. Russell of Keokuk to Miss Tywayah Buford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Buford 809 23rd Street Place, this city, which will be solemnized Sunday, October 4, here. Rev. George W. Robinson, pastor of Corinthian Baptist church will perform the ceremony at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, at the Robinson residence, 1009 12th Street, in the presence of the immediate families of the bride and groom. The bride will be attired in white satin, with accessories to match and will carry a bouquet of orange blossoms. Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Gilbert will attend the couple. The bride is a former West High student and a popular member of Corinthian Baptist church. She is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Buford, one of the first families in Des Moines, and prominent in church and social circles here. The groom is a graduate of Keokuk High school, and is now a sophomore student in Theology at Drake University. He is an active Y and church worker, past president of the Junior N. A. A. C. P., is well known in amateur dramatics, noted as a debater and extemporaneous speaker. Mr. Whittaker is also proprietor and manager of Betty's Cafe. An informal reception will be held Sunday evening in the couple's apartment at 1315 Day street.

The Community Biblical Dramatic League will meet at the home of Mr. T. J. Burse, 1513 School street, Thursday, October 8, at eight p. m. All members please be present.

Mr. Ancil Davis of Kansas, City, Missouri, was a last week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Holland, 910 Laurel Street. A number of impromptu parties were given honoring Mr. Davis, including an informal party at which Mr. William R. Saunders was host.

Mrs. Carrie Williams and daughter, Miss Lavina Williams of Lexington, Missouri, departed for their home last Saturday, September 26, after a two weeks visit here, the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Holland, 910 and musician, is appearing in a song and dance act at the local Paramount Laurel street.

BRIDGE AUTHORITY TO COACH REGAL CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Preston Daniels, one of the few authorities on contract bridge here, has been secured by the Regal Contract Bridge club to coach and learn the club members the game as is played by experts. Mrs. Daniels is an exponent of the Culbertson system, which along with the Work system has taken the country by storm, and will give lessons to the club at the Community Center every Friday afternoon. The club is composed of eight of Des Moines' society matrons and is the first contract bridge club organized here. Mrs. Nelle Esters is president.

Mrs. Fanny Wilson, was dinner hostess to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bland of Keokuk, last Friday evening, September 25, at her residence 1108 14th street.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown, 2403 First street, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Samuel Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn, 1642 Walker street. Miss Brown is a former North High student, one of the leaders in junior activities at St. Paul's A. M. E. church and popular in Highland Park society.

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Mr. James Morrow was hostess to the L. T. Club this month. Mrs. Ora Buice won first prize. Mrs. Evelyn Morten will be club hostess, October 7, at the Community Center.

Mr. William Watkins and Mr. Bob Miller were hosts to the Monarch club members and their wives Monday evening, September 21 at an informal party. Other club guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Tug W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Miller. Cards were played during the evening, after which a luncheon was served.

Mrs. Maude M. Brewton and Mr. Horace Spencer of Mason City, who were in the city last week in the interest of O. E. S. lodge, and attended the DePriest lecture last Friday evening, were visitors at the Bystander Saturday.

FORMER DES MOINES PEOPLE VISIT HERE

Mrs. Alyce Ewing and daughter, Mrs. Zetella Brown-Ford of Chicago former Des Moines residents, have been the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Adams, 2703 Chester avenue, the past two weeks. Many courtesies have been given for these charming visitors in the for mod dinners and informals. Concluding the series before their departure was the bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. Adams honoring them, last Friday afternoon, September 25th. Mrs. Brown departed for Kansas City, Missouri, Saturday, the 3rd, where she will continue her visit among friends and Mrs. Ewing will depart for Chicago the first of the week.

The public is cordially invited to attend a Feast of Seven Tables, Thursday evening, October 8, from 8:30 to 10:30 at the Community Center, sponsored by the P. H. T. N. club of Maple Street Baptist church. Rev. A. Ross Brent, pastor. Band music will be a feature of the evening.

Mrs. Clyde Morris, 1046 17th street, who has been ill at her home for the past two weeks, is much improved.

Mrs. Jessie McClain, was hostess to Jolly Twelve at her residence, 1057 17th Street, last Thursday evening, September 17. Prizes were awarded Mesdames Zetta Scott and Belle Dacus.

Mrs. Hattie McGruder, 1628 Carpenter Avenue, entertained the Jolly Twelve at her home, Thursday evening, September 24. Others sharing the courtesy were Mesdames Audra Alexander, Anna Mae Carter, Essie Davis, Maude Howard, Mary Ritchey and Maude Woods. A charming out-of-town visitor present was Mrs. Zetella Ford of Chicago, formerly of Des Moines. Club prizes were awarded Mrs. Ruth Piggee and Mrs. Belle Dacus. Guests prize was received by Mrs. Anna Mae Carter and Mrs. Mary Ritchey.

Mrs. Lola Hardwick will be hostess to the Merry Widows' Industrial club, Sunday afternoon, October 4, at 527 W. 9th street. A special program has been arranged by the chairman, Mrs. Louise Marmaduke, reporter.

Miss Bernice Shepherd, 1025 13th street, was hostess to the Three Purpose club at a weiner roast given at Goode's Park, Wednesday evening, September 23.

The LaMercredi club met with Mrs. Mary Ritchey, Wednesday evening, September 23. Prizes were awarded by Mrs. Ora Brown and Mrs. Thomas Seales. Mrs. Seales entertained the club at her residence, 200 Grandview, last Wednesday, September 30.

Mrs. Audra Alexander and Mrs. Pearl Thompson, reviewed the speech delivered by Congressman DePriest here at the meeting of the Mary Church Terrell Club last Monday evening. Mrs. Clara Johnson will be club hostess October 5, at her residence, 2320 Terrace Road.

Miss Theresis Penn, who attended the University of Commerce the past two years, has accepted a position with the Kansas City Call, at Kansas City, Missouri. While in the city Miss Penn stopped with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tutt.

Mrs. Violet Hill Whyte, of Baltimore, Maryland, National Superintendent of the W. C. T. U. of the Colored division, was a visitor at the Bystander office on last Wednesday afternoon.

as their guests last week Mr. Williams' nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allie Williams and his sister, Mrs. John Shores, all of Sioux City, Iowa. Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Broyles of Waterloo were the house guests of Mrs. J. W. Tutt, last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis of Washington, D. C., are in the city to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner. The Ellis' son is a student at Howard University.

Rev. J. W. Tutt, who was recalled from his vacation in Missouri last week to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Ira Jones here returned to Kansas City Friday, September 26, to resume his visit with his mother, Mrs. Mary Green and uncle, Louis Tutt. Rev. Tutt delivered a morning sermon at Strangers' Rest Baptist church. Sunday and in the evening preached at Strangers' Rest Baptist church. Rev. Tutt has been the incentive for many courtesies.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude D. Bland of Keokuk were in the city last Friday to attend the Oscar DePriest lecture. While here they were the house guests of Attorney and Mrs. James B. Morris, 955 16th street.

Mr. Matthew Tillman and Mr. Ellis Adams returned to the city Tuesday, September 22, from a motor trip to their former home at Booneville, Missouri, where they visited relatives and childhood friends. They were accompanied by Miss Delphia Tillman.

Miss Dorothy Tillman, returned to the city September 24, after visiting friends in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones, 1235 Stewart street, were called to Kansas City, Missouri, September 25, due to the death of the latter's uncle, Mr. H. B. Beatty, who died at that place.

Mrs. Bernice Angles, president of the Willing Workers' club of Union Baptist church has returned to the city; while on her vacation Mrs. Angles sustained serious injuries in an accident and will be confined to the home of her mother Mrs. Wade, for several months.

OSCEOLA, IOWA NEWS

Mr. Walter Rhodes spent the week end in Des Moines. Rev. Berry and wife conducted services Sunday. Mrs. Mary Bryant is better. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Dresden returned to Rock Island, Illinois, after a few days visit with relatives. Mr. Moore of Excelsior Springs has accepted a position with the Webster Undertaking Company. Mr. Jacob Draden is better. Mr. John Wesley Griffin sang a solo for the telephone company program. Osceola will elect church officers October 7, for the new year. Mrs. Wometta Dansey has accepted a position at the Ettinger home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends of our departed loved one, Addie Jones, for their many acts of kindness shown during her illness and expressions of sympathy extended at the time of her death; for their beautiful floral offering and donation of eases; Lodges, particularly Oziel chapter O. E. S., which had charge of the body; Rev. J. W. Tutt for his enlightening remarks and Tug W. Wilson and James A. Johnson, of the Wilson Funeral Home for their efficient services. Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Harris Albert Powell Mlevina Potter

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Rev. G. W. Slater, Jr., Whom as recently assigned to the pastorate of the A. M. E. church in Council Bluffs; Mrs. James Lewis of Minneapolis, Minn., who was here as a delegate to the Northwestern Annual Conference; Mrs. Minerva T. Watson of Minneapolis and Mrs. Alpha Bynum of Louisville, Ky., the latter two here as representatives of the ladies auxiliaries of G. A. R.

This affair which was in the home of the president, Mrs. S. Joe Brown, 1058 5th Avenue, took the form of a social session at which the members of the Union, the guests of honor and their hostess were present.

BOOSTER CLUB HOLDS MEETING

"Sunday afternoon the Booster's club held their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Whyte the National W. C. T. U. officer gave the principal address. The program consisted of reading by Miss Atwell Jett; instrumental solo, Mrs. Eva Roper, vocal solo, Mrs. Gertrude Brown; remarks by Father Bunn, Priest of the Episcopal church; Report given by Mr. Harry Miller, Secretary of the Community House for the attendance during the past four months which was as follows: June 372, July 832, August 820 and September 960, making a total of 2,984. At the next meeting, October 11, Mrs. S. Bates who recently attended the National Baptist Convention in Atlanta, and elected to a national office, will give a report of her trip.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Addie M. Jones, widow of the late Ivory M. Jones, was born at Siedma, Ala., May 20th, 1863 and died Monday, September 21st, 1931, after a lingering illness of heart trouble. She was united in marriage to Ivory M. Jones in Kansas and moved to Des Moines about thirty-five years ago and opened a cafe which they operated for twenty years up to the time of her husband's passing about ten years ago. She was a patient at the University Hospital at Iowa City and later at Mercy and Broadlawn General Hospitals.

She was faithful member of Union Baptist church.

Mrs. Jones was a member of Phillips Guiding Star Temple No. 341 Sisters of the Mysterious Ten and Oziel Chapter No. 9, Order of the Eastern Star, which latter organization had charge of the funeral service.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her nephew, Robert C. Harris and his wife; a grand nephew, Albert Powell; a niece, Mrs. Melvina Potter in Des Moines; distant relatives in Alabama, and a host of friends in Des Moines and throughout the state of Iowa. Peace be to her ashes and rest to her weary soul. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, September 25, from Union Baptist church. Rev. J. W. Tutt officiated. Interment at Glendale.

MEMORIAM

In sad and loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Martha Miller, who passed away three years ago, October 2, 1928. Loving mother, kind and true, and no friend on earth like her. She did her best by all. She was patient, kind and always had a smile or a good word for everyone. What wouldn't we give to see her face, to clasp her hand as in the days gone by. But some day we will meet again in heaven, the great beyond, where there is no toil or strife.

CHILDREN:

Laura M. Rhodes
Edward Miller
George Miller.
Grandchildren:
LaVern Jackson
Thelma Cecil
Lula Butler
Lenna Smith,
Eunice Rhodes.

CENTERVILLE, IOWA NEWS

On Monday evening, September 21, Miss Florence Backs became the Bride of Mr. Frederick Ridding at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ridding on south 18th street. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Hawkins with a few close friends. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brooks on West Maple street, and both are popular members of the younger social set and of the Second Baptist

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor, By Doris Bailey
Rev. G. W. Robinson preached Sunday. Every Sunday night there will be a different musical chorus. The first Sunday in the month is home coming day at Corinthian. The Sunday school has been going down in attendance. Sunday school starts at 9:45 a. m. A

MORAN, IOWA NEWS

By Ernest De Van

The Moran coal mines has resumed work after being idle over five months. Elder James Jacobs is able to be out again after being confined to his home with injuries received a few weeks ago. Mr. Harry Edmond is disposed at this writing. An entertainment was given on September 25, at Dallas, Iowa, by St. John's church of Moran. The committee reports a success. Services were well attended at St. John's church all day Sunday, conducted by the pastor Rev. J. H. Ross. Rev. G. W. White of Perry, Mrs. Walter Moore of Dallas were visitors that evening.

ALBIA, IOWA NEWS

By F. A. Davis, Reporter

Mrs. G. A. Davis and Misses Edith Thomas, Miss Marcella Grayson have returned from their three weeks visit here returned from their three-weeks visit in Omaha. Mrs. Jameson attended the annual conference in Des Moines. Mr. Zeth Singleton of Persia is at the Albia hospital as a result of a mine accident. Mrs. Ritchey has returned from Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman are in Des Moines for a short visit. Mr. Ben Grayson has returned from his summer employment in Elko, Nevada, and is making an extended trip to California, New Mexico and several other western states. He departed for Des Moines last Friday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. E. Jeffers and other relatives. Albia public school has about twenty colored students; two in high school, namely, Miss Sarah Gordon and Miss Marcella Grayson.

FORT DODGE, IOWA NEWS

By Rev. William Brown

Mrs. Hattie Bourdeaux is still on the sick list. Mrs. Chambers and Mr. Frank Hill are ill. Mrs. Hattie Martin's daughter-in-law and relatives from Kansas and Omaha spent the week-end here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Horn's daughter, who is confined to the hospital at Iowa City is improving. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Woods, 1424 S. 24th street, were dinner hosts Sunday.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Hattie Martin. Mrs. Bessie Martin of Chicago is visiting her mother Mrs. H. Bourdeaux. Mr. Billie Jiles of Grand Rapids, Michigan, is here visiting mother and relatives. Mr. James Calloway of Omaha and Miss Gladys Holper and Miss Edwina Burton. Mrs. Johnnie Bradley visited Miss Gladys Holper recently. Mr. Clark House visited Mrs. Edwina Burton. The Whist Club met at the home of Mrs. H. Johnson, 211 Central Avenue. First prize was awarded to Mrs. Viola Washington. Second, Mr. Robert Bourdeaux. Next meeting will be at the home of Katie Martin. Mrs. Wilson Eugert is improving.

MT. PLEASANT, IOWA NEWS

Elmeda Harrison, Reporter

A doctrinal sermon was delivered Sunday morning by Rev. Lasley. The Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. are increasing. Mrs. Colston of Fairfield visited the Second Baptist church last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Soleston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison. Mrs. Chapman of Chicago was in the city last week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. William Burroughs. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith were also the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Burroughs. Mr. Harry Johnson has just arrived from Omaha where he spent a few days visiting friends.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

STATE OF IOWA }
Polk County } ss.

District Court of Polk County, Iowa

Rachel F. Cook

James B. Morris, Executor of the Estate of Mayne Burnam, Deceased; Thompson Burnam; Mollie Burnam; Iona Foucha; Lottie Buckner; Iona Foucha; Administrators of the Estate of Bettie Hooker, Deceased; Lizzie White; Tilford Hooker; Helen Bell; Iona Oelke; A. W. Franklin and Mary A. Franklin.

By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Rachel F. Cook, and against Harry S. Burnam and Mayne E. Burnam, in rem, on a judgment rendered by said Court on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1931, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-six (36) in Carl & Smouse's Addition to the City of Des Moines, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines on or before the 7th day of November, 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 interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof, to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution.

C. F. KEELING, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa.

By C. C. Koons, Deputy.

Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa.

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STATE OF IOWA }
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District Court of Polk County, Iowa

The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company

versus

Emma B. Gray; Rehnman Brothers, Incorporated; Dennis G. Shaw; Madelon J. Shaw and Harryjow Company

By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, and against Emma B. Gray, on a judgment rendered by said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1931, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

Lot Fifty-eight (58) and Eighty-seven (87) in Cornell Heights, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines on or before the 31st day of October, 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 interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof, to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution.

C. F. KEELING, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa.

By R. L. Hanson, Deputy.

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