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Stroke Is Fatal to Richard B. Harrison, Actor

COMMITTEE REPORTS OUT ANTI-LYNCH BILL Death Closes Brilliant Career of "De Lawd"

Expert Furious Fight On Floor of Upper House by Enemies

Washington, D. C.—The Costigan-Wagner anti-lynching bill, long the subject of furious debate in congress, was reported favorably by the senate judiciary committee Monday. The measure, focal point of legislative discussion since the last session of congress, now comes to the floor of the upper house for debate and a fight is expected from enemies of the bill. Rewritten from the bill proposed last year, the measure prescribes severe penalties for lynchers, peace officers who conspire with mobs or fail to protect prisoners from riotous assemblages and counties where such lawlessness occurs.

The bill is said to have been speeded up in the sub-judiciary committee of the senate by Chairman Frederick Van Nuys of Indiana, following a hearing last month, at which H. L. Mencken and other witnesses severely excoriated lynching, stating, among other things, that "no civilized government could condone such atrocities."

Public sentiment has been widely aroused over the anti-lynching bill and voters all over the country are being urged to write their respective senators and congressmen, urging their support of it when it comes up for a vote. The bill was introduced in the house by Representative Thomas E. Ford, democrat, of California. Senator Wagner of New York and Costigan of Colorado, co-authors of the bill, have expressed confidence in its ultimate passage. Lynching was described by Senator Costigan as "open anarchy," while Senator Wagner asserted that it "constituted almost every type of infamy that blots the record of civilization."

Bystander Cooking School Huge Success, Record Crowd Attends Final Session

Final Prizes Awarded

By Everett Wadsworth Staff Writer

A capacity crowd overflowed the Billiken hall Friday night to attend the final session of the Bystander second free Cooking School and home-makers institute. The school opened Wednesday night and during the three day session more than eight hundred people attended. Mrs. Clara Johnson, graduate domestic science demonstrator, conducted the school. Luther H. S. Browne, culinary expert and formerly chef in the leading cities of the country, was general manager. Mrs. Johnson was assisted in her demonstrations by Mrs. Judith Wilson.

Attorney James B. Morris, editor of the paper, opened the session with a speech boosting the advertisers in the Bystander. "If they are willing to spend some of their money with you by advertising in a colored paper, show your appreciation by trading with them and patronize them often," he said. Following the cooking instructions given by Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Morris presented the final awards.

For the family present with the largest number of children three people tied with nine each: Mrs. Luella Cassell, 931 Twenty-third street, Mrs. Olivia Devan, 1336 East Nineteenth street, and Mrs. Lula Banton, 1400 Delaware street. Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, 1324 Day street, being married thirty-seven years, received the prize as the oldest married couple. Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, 1028 Tenth street, married seven months, was the youngest couple. Taking the Bystander forty years, Mrs. Alex Wilburn, 1715 Walker street, was awarded the honor as the oldest subscriber. William Wood drew the lucky number for the prize electric lamp.

Prize baskets of groceries were presented to seven lucky numbers by Mr. Browne. The table setting contest, judged by Mrs. Estelle Allen, was won by Mrs. Thelma Washington. Second honors went to Mrs. Lillian Edmunds and Mrs. Ada Johnson.

Winner of Prize Methodists Meet In Table Council

The churches of Methodist faith held their first round table council at the St. Paul A. M. E. church Tuesday night, with fifty guests present. The Rev. S. M. Riley, r., of the Burns M. E. church presided. Remarks were given by Rev. J. A. Alexander of the St. Paul A. M. E. church and Rev. Wm. McCray.

The Rev. Benj. H. Lucas of Bethel A. M. E. church read a masterful paper on the "History of Methodism in America." A discussion period followed, in which all ministers participated. The Rev. G. E. Morrison of Kyles A. M. E. Zion church was unable to attend because of illness.

South Strings Up Another Victim

AB YOUNG, LYNCHED TO TREE IN SCHOOL YARD.

DIES SINGING HYMN

Slayside, Miss.—With a hymn on his lips, Ab Young, Negro, was lynched to an oak tree in a school yard three miles east of here Tuesday afternoon, March 12, by a mob of about fifty white men.

Young had been sought in connection with the shooting to death Saturday night of Harly Mackie, 45, white. Mackie was a state highway worker.

Mrs. Patten Heads Two FERA Classes

Principal at West and Amos Hiatt Schools

Mrs. Margaret Patten, appointed as emergency education teacher at West High school in October, is now head teacher in two adult education centers, according to a letter received from Rall Griggby, director of adult education. Besides actual class room teaching, clerical and administrative work, she is to visit homes to recruit and maintain the attendance at these classes, the letter stated.

John Evans, 1029 Thirteenth street, is instructor at the east side class which meets at Amos Hiatt school, Mrs. Patten said. Well known in church and club work here, she received her early education at Carleton college in Syracuse, Ohio.

Mrs. Patten attended Drake university and served as matron of the girls' dormitory at the University of Iowa at Iowa City. She formerly taught the elementary grades in West Virginia and at the mining camp schools at Enterprise, Iowa.

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Ickes Upholds Johnson Rule

Washington, D. C.—Correspondence between Prof. Kelly Miller of Howard university and Harold L. Ickes, secretary of the interior, made public here on March 9, shows that this powerful governmental official is backing President Mordcaoi Johnson in the fight which the alumni and trustees are making to force his resignation.

Dean Miller lost no time in taking advantage of the opportunity given him to make reply, and in a letter of February 27 set forth all the charges made against the Howard president.

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Central Baptists In First Meeting

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The women's department met Wednesday with Mrs. S. Bates, president, in charge. The Rev. Thomas Ligon delivered the sermon. The Red Circle girls of Union Baptist church, Des Moines, presented a play in the afternoon and was assisted by the Starlight band.

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NAACP Leader Owens Features In Big Ten Meet

Ward Gets Third Place

Chicago—Jesse Owens, sensational sprinter from Ohio State university, established a new world's record in the sixty-yard dash Saturday night in the 25th annual Big Ten indoor track meet at the University of Chicago Field House.

Owens broke the tape two yards ahead of his nearest competitor, covering the distance in 9.81, thus bettering the Big Ten Conference record of 10.2 established in 1929 by George Simpson of Ohio State university, and later equaled by Eddie Tolan and Willie Ward of Michigan.

Owens finished second in the 100-yard dash, losing to Ward, and third in the 200-yard dash, losing to Ward. In the high jump, he finished second, losing to Ward. In the 400-yard dash, he finished third, losing to Ward. In the 800-yard dash, he finished fourth, losing to Ward. In the 1600-yard dash, he finished fifth, losing to Ward. In the 3200-yard dash, he finished sixth, losing to Ward. In the 6400-yard dash, he finished seventh, losing to Ward. In the 12800-yard dash, he finished eighth, losing to Ward. In the 25600-yard dash, he finished ninth, losing to Ward. In the 51200-yard dash, he finished tenth, losing to Ward.

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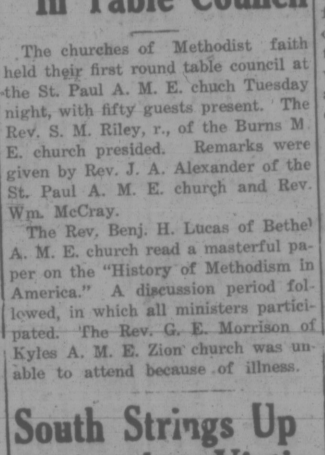
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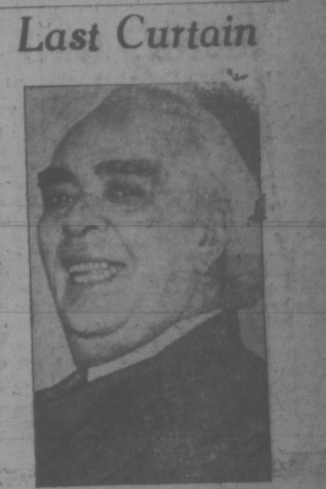
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COURTESY THE EVENING TRIBUNE RICHARD B. HARRISON "De Lawd" joins Gabriels, Noah and Angles.

Last Curtain

It is bestowed upon a man who has the good fortune to become more widely known than any of the others and thus to symbolize in his own person the varied achievement of colored people in the life of the nation.

"Needs This Play"

Last week when he realized that he was unable to play as he lay stricken in his dressing room, Harrison summoned his understudy, Charles Wintor Wood, and said:

"I'm glad you're able to go on, Charlie. The world needs this play."

Interviewed Here

The passing of Richard B. Harrison was expressed in tones of regret by local friends as he was popular with his followers during the appearance of "The Green Pastures" in 1932 and 1934. Granting interviews to college students, critics and reporters, Mr. Harrison proved a willing talker. "A fine gentleman and a genius in his art" was the general opinion of Mrs. Evelyn Brooks, then a reporter from North High school Oriskany, now Bystander society editor; Owen Robinson, now attending school in South Carolina, then reporter, and Everett Wadsworth, present staff writer, who had the pleasure of meeting the "greatest living actor in America."

BAKING POWDER

SAME PRICE AS 42 YEARS AGO

WON MEDAL

In 1931, a year after "The Green Pastures" was awarded the Pulitzer Prize, Harrison won the medal, awarded annually to the best actor in a play by the National Academy of Arts and Letters. His event to be in...

Dixie Students Give Opinion of Costigan Wagner Bill

TODIAS PAYS VISIT TO GEORGIA

Noted Y Secretary is Visitor in Former Home State

AT GA. NORMAL

Dr. Channing H. Tobias, of New York City, senior secretary of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A., was a guest of the Georgia Normal College today.

Morehouse In Plans A nent Fine Concert

ATLANTA, Ga.—The forthcoming Annual Concert of the Morehouse College Glee Club and Orchestra is expected to receive the enthusiastic support of a host of patrons and friends.

MOBILE TEACHER



MISS HELEN CARROLL

The Official Staff of the Mobile Sun presents Miss Helen Barnett Carroll as Editor of the Children's Corner (A new addition to the Mobile Sun).

Phi Beta Key Is Won By 2 More Studes

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—(ANP)—Two Negroes were elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic society, it was announced at Brown University and also from Bowdoin college.

COLLEGIANS HOPE TALKS TO CHICAGO TAKE STAND ON BILL

Fourteen States Are Represented in National Poll FAVOR MEASURE

(By Grace Towns Hamilton for A. N. P.)—More than 4000 southern students from the Christian Association of 43 colleges petitioned the President that the Costigan-Wagner anti-lynching bill become immediate legislation.

HOPE TALKS TO CHICAGO ALUMNI PRESIDENT'S WIFE HEARS SINGERS

CHICAGO, (ANP)—Speaking before more than two hundred alumni and former students of Atlanta University, Morehouse college and Spelman college, Friday, President John Hope of Atlanta University aroused new loyalty on the part of graduates and ex-students.



PRESIDENT JOHN HOPE

Play Writing Booms On Knoxville Campus

Knoxville, Tenn.—Play-writing is becoming a prominent part of the creative extra-curricular activity at Knoxville College.

Last year, "Sanctified," a one act play of Negro life written by Grant Moss, a Knoxville student, won a high place in the contest.

A total enrollment of 1,001 students in the combined schools was shown for this year. Eighty-six are in the graduate school, 320 in Morehouse college, 251 are at Spelman college with 318 pupils in the laboratory schools.

He closed his address by raising the question, "What are our objectives?" Their brief reply portrayed these objectives as being: 1. Good Scholarship, 2. Sound Physical Health, 3. Sound Character.

Mr. Hope had stressed that in spite of the large endowments of the three schools, that Morehouse college would need \$8,000 to balance its current budget, and that both Atlanta University and Spelman College would need \$10,000 each to balance their budgets.

The meeting was planned by a committee consisting of William Pinkney, President of the Chicago Alumni group, Attorney Sidney A. Jones, Mrs. Kate Stokes Carr, Miss Bertha Keith Payne, T. K. Gibson, Frazier T. Lane and B. P. Sherrard.

Mr. Myrtle King Brown a graduate of Spelman College, rendered a solo. Dr. J. W. McCaskill, a graduate of Morehouse college, led the audience in mass singing of a song written by him and arranged by Mrs. Ida Young Pullins, a Spelmanite.

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Knoxville College To Have Summer School Again

Knoxville, Tenn.—Knoxville College this week announces its second annual Summer Quarter beginning June 17 and closing August 30.

Dean Mitchell Gives Speech At Big Bethel

ATLANTA, Georgia.—The Auxiliary of the Big Bethel Church of Christ, S. E., was the theme of a talk made by Dean E. C. Mitchell of Morris Brown college to members of the Richard Allen Board of Big Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday afternoon.

Dean Mitchell cited several vivid examples wherein individual sacrifices were necessary in order to secure teamwork.

There was also a literary and musical program, on which Miss Addie Weaver gave a reading, "Success," Lucien White rendered a tenor solo; Mrs. Agnes Pye a soprano solo; and J. H. Thomas a baritone solo.

Remarks were made by Rev. D. T. Babcock, pastor, Mrs. Babcock, and W. C. Crumley. A male quartet from the Atlanta Negro Music Club gave vocal selections.

Mr. F. S. M. of Newport News, Va. is interested in small repair work of all kind, and wants some reading matter that will help.

Wells, John. An encyclopedia of useful information and repair work of all kinds, for the home owner and the handy man.

Waking, Arthur. Fix it yourself. The complete manual for handy men of woodworking, painting, plumbing, electrical appliances, etc.

Howard Observes Chatter Day. The day of chatter is observed in the city of Chicago.

North Carolina Preps In Big Drama Event

Raleigh, N. C. (Special)—With thirty teams registered for the North Carolina high school drama tournament to be held at Shaw University the directors of the tournament have been forced to add March 14 to the schedule which included March 15 and 16.

Fifty Students Get Morehouse Honors

ATLANTA, Georgia.—At the semi-annual honors day exercises held yesterday in Sale Hall Chapel, the names of fifty students who made the scholarship honor roll during the first semester were made public.

Of the students whose work showed an average of B above, with no grade below C, 20 are members of the freshman class, 12 are members of the junior class, 12 are seniors, and 8 are sophomores.

Benjamin Linton Dent, 35, of Aconet, Ga.; Ross Sidney Douthard, 25, of Atlanta, Ga.; George Harrison Edwards, 36, of Chicago, Illinois; Frederic Lee Ellis, 33, of Chicago, Illinois; John Jackson Epps, 35, of Jersey City, New Jersey; John Thomas Gill, Jr., 38, of Atlanta, Ga.; James Austell Hall, 37, of Benham, Kentucky; Kermit Hall, 38, of Detroit, Michigan; Felix Leroy Harris, 33, of Gary, Indiana; Alvin Harrison 35, of Birmingham, Alabama.

Luther Franklin Hill, 38, of Cleveland, Ohio; Wonderful Counselor Hill, 38, of Sheffield, Alabama; Richard Grover Holmes, 37, of Port Valley, Georgia; Malachi Charles Dinkins, 35, of Plushing, New York; Hobart Calvin Jackson, 35, of Chattanooga, Tennessee; Lucius Thomas Jackson, 38, of Atlanta, Ga.; William Weaver Jackson, 37, of Birmingham, Alabama; Walter Fitz Bernell James, 36, of Atlanta, Ga.; Hamel C. Jocelyn, 36, of Trinidad, British West Indies; John Clinton Long, 36, of Atlanta, Ga.; Edward Carter Maddox, 38, of Atlanta, Ga.; Otis William McCree, 36, of College Park, Georgia; David Timothy Mells, 36, of Ocala, Florida; Balsam Jaber Al Mukasa, 35, of Hama, Uganda; John Africa, James Edward Nickerson, 36, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Rodgers, 37, of Danvers, Georgia; Joseph S. Snyder, 38, of Memphis, Tenn.

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Prof. Kemper Harrell is being assisted in developing the program for this year's concert by Prof. Willis Laurence James, also of the music department. The glee club will render an arrangement of "Sometimes," a Negro spiritual beautifully treated by

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Society and Clubs= Churches, News, Features

MISS EVELYN BROOKS
Society Editor

SOCIETY OBSERVES

WORLD PRAYER DAY
The East Side Missionary society observed World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 8th, at the Maple Street Baptist church. Mrs. Clara Houston, chairman, presided. The meeting began at 10 a. m., in charge of leaders, Mrs. B. H. Lucas, Mrs. Mae Williams, Mrs. Mary White, Mrs. Belle Williams and Mrs. S. Bates. Scripture was read by Mrs. Susie Bryant. Mrs. Florence Dudley conducted the quiet hour.

Luncheon was served from 12:00 to 1:00 a. m.
The call to worship was resumed at 1:30, with the following program: Responsive reading by Mrs. Jesse Belle Davis. Silent prayer and prayer of consecration by Mrs. Todd. Prayer for women and children by Mrs. S. Bates, with the following speaking: "Peace Among the Nations," by Mrs. L. M. Fry; "Peace Within the Home," by Mrs. I. J. Robinson, and "Young People's Activity in Mission Work," by Evelyn Brooks. Duet by Mrs. O. Robinson and Mrs. G. East. Remarks were made by Rev. Ben H. Lucas of the Bethel A. M. E. church. Solo by Mrs. A. R. Brent. Closing remarks by Mrs. Mae Howard.

Mrs. Scott Hostess
To Jolly Twelve

The Jolly Twelve club met Thursday, March 7th, with Mrs. Zetta Scott, 928 Twenty-fourth street. A two-course luncheon was served. The guests were: Mrs. Polly Edwards, Mrs. Della Robinson and Mrs. Jobourness Kelson. Mrs. Ella Adams, 2703 Chester avenue, will entertain next week.

The following club members have been ill, but are recovering: Mrs. Hattie McGruder, 1625 Carpenter avenue; Mrs. Anna Jeffries, 1825 Jefferson avenue, and Mrs. Olive Redmond, 933 Fourteenth street.

Social Art Club
Meets With Mrs. Bogan

The Social Art club entertained with a buffet lunch Thursday, March 7, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Heen Bogan, 833 East Twenty-fourth street. Those present were: Mesdames Jessie Lucas, Mabel Crowder, Maggie Preston, Lottie Jones, Wynona Hawkins, Lelia Walker, Mabel Brown, Carrie Miller.

Izella Robinson, Pearl Jeffries, Ella Talbert, Lettie Thomas, Ida Geen, Anna Ware, Goldie Malone, Lizzie Topson, Clara Miller, Viola Mays, Vera Williams, Zula Turner, Helen Bogan, Polkie Ware, Georgia Goggins, Nettie Thomas, Mattie Branch, Virginia Smith and Mildred Barker.

Mrs. Riley Entertains
Fideles Decem Club

The Fideles Decem girls were feted by Mrs. Varina Riley at 913 Crocker street Monday from 5:30 p. m. to 8:00 p. m. Those present were: Grace Yeager, Bernice Yeager, Idella Reeves, Olga Bibbs, Mela Hubbard, Maxine Carson, Alne Moore, Katherine Lee, Willetta Bibbs. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Hardwick Honors
Two at Dinner

Mrs. Lola Hardwick, 907 Fifteenth street, entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday at her home, honoring the anniversaries of Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, her daughter, and Mrs. Goletha Trotter, whose birthdays are March 10 and 11. They have celebrated this event together for the past eleven years.

Other guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Harris, George Ed. and the Jew at New Feast was born.

"Remember Me" What are we remembering? His death and suffering. He is coming again. All Christians should take the Sacrament, which reminds them of the Christ, and there is no set time to administer it. A minister can administer the Holy Eucharist every Sunday if he wishes, some churches do. The Christian Church, but no Christian is supposed to receive the Sacrament who is not in good standing with his fellowship. The Apostle Paul says: "Who eat and drink without discerning the Lord's body, shall eat and drink his judgment."

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BLUE TRIANGLE Y. W. C. A.

The Good Taste Committee will give a St. Patrick party on Thursday, March 21st. There will be music, games, refreshments. The public is invited. The Book Lovers will meet on Friday, March 22, 2 P. M. Mrs. Olive Redmond will review "The Second House from the Corner" by Max Miller. The Laugh Love and Life Girl Reserves will give a benefit dance for high school boys and girls on Friday, March 22, 8:33 P. M. The Forum Sponsored by the Interacial committee will be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 8:15 P. M. Young Women! If you're all of eighteen and not more than thirty-five, save the first day of the fourth month, this year. Watch, wait and listen to find out what takes place at the Y. W. C. You won't be sorry! The committee on young women will meet on Sunday, March 17, 7:30 P. M. The finance committee will meet on Monday, March 18, 7:30 P. M. and the interacial committee on Friday, March 22nd, 8 P. M.

The Y. W. P. club sponsored a breakfast last Monday at the home of Mrs. Louise Brown, 1202 S. E. Scott street. The following were guests: Rev. Roman, Mrs. M. Robinson, Nellie Cross, Mrs. Opie Heath, Mrs. Crumb. The club will meet next week with the president, Mrs. Ethel Volmeier, 1625 Walker street. Jessica Smith, reporter.

The Ministerial Alliance will not meet Tuesday, due to the fact the Baptist board meeting will be in session at Corinthian Baptist church.

Mrs. James Franco, who has been ill for nearly two months, is improving.

Ms. Olivia Hayes, who has been bedfast for over a week, is recovering.

W. J. Nipper, who has been ill and confined to his home with measles, is able to return to work.

Mrs. Sallie Morton of 117 Ridge street is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Dr. J. A. Jefferson of 1823 Jefferson avenue is ill at his home with the pneumonia. Dr. E. T. Seales is his attending physician.

James A. Bailey, Jr., of Sioux City, Iowa, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bailey, 1033 Thirteenth street.

Mrs. Nellie Parker of 1329 Center street gave a surprise birthday party honoring her mother, Mrs. Mary Erwin, who was 80 years old last Sunday. Six guests shared in the courtesy.

Rev. S. M. Riley, Jr., was the Monday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Hedge.

Attorney J. Nelson Thompson, his mother, Mrs. J. L. Thompson; aunt, Mrs. Mollie Watkins, and nephew, Billy Clark, motored to Webster City last week-end to visit Mr. and Mrs. Comnelly.

Mrs. Fannie Danforth has returned from Keytesville, Mo. where she has been at the bedside of her mother for the past five weeks. She reports her mother improving.

The Lincoln unit, No. 126, of the American Legion auxiliary will meet March 19th at the home of Mrs. Cornelia Holt, 1539 Buchanan street. Mrs. G. H. Mason, president, and Ida M. Smith, secretary.

South Leagne is recovering from illness.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. The South Byron Civic League is growing very rapidly and many new plans are on foot for civic improvements. The main effort of the group for the past few weeks has been the reorganization of Mrs. A. H. Brooks as a "Bureau of Civic Information." The league is with her one hundred per cent in the reorganization.

The Modernistic club will meet with Mrs. Muriel DeSloot Tuesday. The evening was spent last meeting discussing the life and work of Negro poets.

The Club DeLux gave a social on Thursday, March 7. Presents were changed by the girls whose birthday is in this month. Refreshments were served. The club is sponsoring a fish fry at the home of Mrs. James Allen, 1058 Twelfth street.

The Mary Church Terrell club met Monday evening at the Community Center with Mrs. Jobourness Kelson. The members observed the birthday of two of their members, Mrs. Goletha Trotter and Mrs. Lillian Edmunds.

Nine clubs of the city are competing for first prize for their act in the "Jabberwock" vaudeville.

Mrs. Gertrude North was one of the twenty-five winners in the Rudy Valleo contest which was conducted by Orville Foster, pipe organist of the Paramount theatre, last week.

The Junior Mary Church Terrell club was entertained by Miss Dorothy Sharon, 954 Twenty-second street, Thursday, March 7. The Misses Sharon and Dora Elva Mackay were presented in their act for the Delta's "Jabberwock." Next meeting will be held March 21 with Mrs. Gertrude North. A bake sale is planned for April 27.

The H. I. B. junior girls met at the Community Center on Wednesday evening. Miss Adeline Wilson is president and Miss Ana Palmer is secretary.

Mrs. Melvin Carr was hostess to the Three Purpose club Wednesday evening and also two guests of the club, Mrs. Willa Mae Munn and Mrs. Gerald Bryson. Luncheon was served by the hostess.

The Social Workers sponsored a program Sunday evening at 3:00 at the Corinthian Baptist church. The speaker was Rev. S. M. Riley, Jr. The Corinthian chorus furnished the music.

AT THE MOVIES
"Ruggles of Red Gap," with Charles Laughton and Mary Boland, plays at the Des Moines theatre through Wednesday night, followed by Clark Gable in his newest starring production, "After Office Hours."

Paramount's Double Program
Balancing the drama of "We Live Again," featuring Anna Sten and Fredrick March, the Paramount presents "Enter Madame," comedy of Cary Grant and Eiliss Landi. Comedy and Cagney Drama Return "Forsaking All Others," a comedy, with Clark Gable, Joan Crawford and Bob Montgomery, returns at the new Roosevelt theatre on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

"The St. Louis Kid" is at the Garden theatre Sunday for three days on a double bill feature program with the comedy, "Ready For Love," starring Richard Arlen, Ida Lupino and Marjorie Rambeau.

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AT ALT MARKET
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Opossums are marsupials, their young being born so early and undeveloped they are carried in a pouch on the mother's abdomen until developed. Born half an inch long, like kangaroos and mice, their mothers drop them into their pockets, where they grow. Throughout the Jurassic and Cretaceous periods the mammals were probably all small, of the opossum type, or marsupials, carnivorous and insectivorous. No herb eaters lived before the Eocene, perhaps. Of very ancient lineage living through many depressions and perilous ages, the opossum has learned that "feigning death" is a good weapon of defense.

Obsidian Natural Glass
The Indians of early days often made their arrow heads of a natural glass known as obsidian, which is found in other regions. It is rather hard, brittle and sharp edged. Obsidian is of a variety of colors ranging from black to gray, but the color of one specimen is usually uniform. In the United States the natural glass is found in Yellowstone park principally, although it is also found in other regions. It is rather widely distributed throughout the world, wherever volcanic action has occurred.

Fresh Water in Panama Canal
Fresh water from Gatun lake and the streams which feed the Madden dam and other reservoirs serve the Panama canal locks. The upper reaches of the canal are high above sea level, while the water in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans is at the lowest level. It has cost millions to build and operate the dams and reservoirs. It is not necessary to have fresh water, although fresh water is lighter and exerts less pressure on the lock gates. Fresh water is used because of its availability in relation to gravity.

Balloon "Birds" Aid Flyers
Huge balloons in the form of grotesque birds are used by the British army corps in training flyers. These air "birds" demonstrate how and currents act, and when one of them hinders into the background from a plane propeller, the gusts of air show vividly the action of the air and its direction. Free balloons might serve the same purpose, and the ghosts of those who met their fate in the Poplar-Monkton disaster.

Home of the Flamingos
Flamingos are native of the mangrove swamps of Cuba and the islands in the Bahamas. Contrary to popular belief they are not migratory birds. They formerly were found in overwhelming numbers in Cuba and the Bahamas, but so many were killed for their beautiful plumage, and because they are such tender food that they are rapidly becoming extinct.

Australian Sheep Dogs
Headed by Kelpie, Barb
It is difficult to conceive the Australian or the New Zealand shepherd that the work of all herding dogs is about alike. He prefers to believe that none of the wonderfully trained German, Belgian, Pyrenean, Scotch or English breeds of herding dogs quite that standard of perfection he finds in his hardy and reliable Kelpie.

The Word "Console"
The word "console" was taken from the French early in the Eighteenth century, and with its original meaning, as a term in architecture. Its etymology is doubtful, possibly from the verb consolider, to consolidate. The term originally denoted a bracket or corbel, either ornamental or for supporting a cornice or fixture. Toward the close of the Nineteenth century, in organizing the meaning was extended to denote the portion of the instrument containing the manuals and stops. The console-table, in which the table was supported wholly or in part by corbels, or whose legs had the appearance of consoles, originated in the early Nineteenth century. But the meaning of the word console is entirely missing in its application to the modern gas-range.—Literary Digest.

Early Cannons Smoothbores
All of the early cannon, except a few only that were entirely experimental, were smoothbores, shooting round shot, the first of stone and the later of metal, says a writer in the Chicago Tribune. A round shot fired from a smoothbore cannon was as lifeless as the knuckle ball or slow ball thrown by the present-day baseball pitcher. It journeyed through the air with little if any turn, plied up a cushion of air before it, and fell to earth much more quickly than the projectile of a rifled gun, that literally bores its way through the air.

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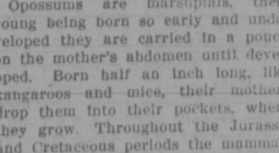
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PERRY, IOWA

Miss Margaret Burns
The Bethel Baptist church Sunday sermon was delivered by the pastor Rev. J. H. Gunner, at 11 o'clock A. M. Rev. J. H. Ross and his members of St. John Baptist church of Moran, Iowa, were present. Rev. Gunner was the master of ceremonies of the evening program. Rev. Benek of Melick Chapel in Perry was present accompanied by his congregation. St. John and Melick chapel members sang in the choir. Mrs. Viola Allen gave a vocal solo. Miss Vera White and Mrs. T. White and daughter Juanete White, were dinner guests of Mrs. Agnes Taylor. Miss Christine Blanks is visiting the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blanks. Miss Vera White entertained a group of friends Sunday evening, including Miss Dorothy Johnson of Des Moines, Iowa, who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Singleton. Miss Zudora Burns has returned from a visit in Des Moines, Iowa.

FORT DODGE, IOWA

Mrs. Agnes Grayson, an old resident of this city, died Friday afternoon at her home on G street. Funeral services were held at Laufersweller's undertaking parlor. Rev. Dickerson had charge of the services. Mrs. Grayson had no relatives. Services at Second Baptist church were held at the usual time. Rev. Davis is pastor. Union services were postponed until next Sunday afternoon on account of the funeral services of Mrs. Agnes Grayson. Mrs. Oscar Williams has gone to New Orleans to visit relatives and friends. Elder J. R. Hicks, pastor of the Church of God in Christ at Mason City and Fort Dodge, has returned from his trip to the Southland. Elder Hicks accompanied his wife to Macon, Mo., to visit her people. He made a trip to St. Louis, Little Rock and Texarkana, Texas.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

Plan to attend the luncheon sponsored by the Senior Missionary of the Second Baptist church, March 21st at the home of Mrs. Maggie Wournum. Serving will begin at 5:30 o'clock. The Ottumwa Hawks played on Tuesday against the Blakesburg Independence basketball team at Blakesburg. Ottumwa Hawks players were Bernard Black, Maynard Black, Langston Parks, William Bailey, Claren Patton, starting lineup. The Hawks were defeated by a score of 53 to 47 in favor of Blakesburg. Bernard Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Black, a freshman at Parsons college, Fairfield, Ia., was awarded varsity letters for his performance in football and basketball at Parsons this year. The awards were made Tuesday at a special chapel assembly. Lack started the season at about number three forward of the squad and soon won a regular place and started nearly every game. Black was higher scorer on the Parsons squad and ranked in the top 10 scorers of the Iowa conference. In football he played half back and was the fastest man in the Parsons backfield. Two other freshmen received basketball letters, Langston Parks of Council Bluffs and Rhyan Miner of Stockport.

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FORT MADISON, IOWA

Bethel A. M. E. church, Rev. B. F. Moses, pastor: Sunday school at 9:45 A. M., Tee Johnson, superintendent. At 11 A. M., morning worship. At 6:30 P. M., A. C. S. League, William Sheppard, president. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Second Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Harris, pastor: Sunday school at 9:30 A. M., Henry Tolliver, superintendent. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. At 3 P. M., Rev. Allen of Keokuk and senior choir furnished the music. The Ladies' Aid was presented at this service in a body. B.Y.P.U., 6 P. M., J. D. Wilkerson, president. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Church anniversary is the week of March 10 to 16. The co-operation of all churches of the city is asked. Second Baptist Mission met at the home of Mrs. L. Woods, March 7. After business lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Lurena Woods. Mission circle had an all-day prayer meeting March 8. Sandy Beecham, 83, died Saturday morning.

SIoux CITY, IOWA

The Chat club was entertained by its president, Mrs. S. Dean, this week. Two new members were added to the roll, bringing the number up to 20. Miss Viola Nash, of Youkers, S. Dak., was a visitor. Plans are being made for the club's first annual Easter ball, to be given at the Elk's hall, April 22. Sunday was men's night at the Mt. Zion Baptist church, Rev. G. A. Burke, pastor. The Dames Federated Club of Negro Women held their anniversary banquet at Roberts assembly, Fourteenth and Omaha streets, on Tuesday, February 26. Mrs. Walter Williams was mistress of ceremonies.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Quarterly meeting was held at Bethel A. M. E. church on last Sunday morning. Rev. W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder, preached the communion sermon. Rev. W. F. Ogleton of Muscatine, Ia., was a visitor accompanied by some of his members of Muscatine and Iowa City. Ref. J. W. Collins and some of his members attended the quarterly meeting at the A. M. E. church at Iowa City on last Sunday.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

BURNS M. E. Church

311 Crocker Street
Rev. S. M. Riley, Jr., Pastor
Order of service: Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Morning service 11 a. m.; Epworth League 6:30 p. m.; Evening service 8:00 p. m. Prayer and class meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 p. m. A cordial welcome awaits you at Burns.
Morning subject: "The Art of Living Together." Evening subject: "The World's Biggest Business." Sunday is neighbors-day at Burns. We are inviting our friends and well-wishers to worship with us. The Womens Home Missionary society will put on a special program in the evening.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

East 17th and University Avenue
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Vienna Williams, Supt. Noonday services at 12:30 p. m. Y. P. W. W. at 6:30 p. m. George Parchman, president. General services at 8:00 p. m. Weekly services: Tuesday night general services at 8:00 p. m. Friday night general services at 8:00.
Elder Eugene Robinson, Pastor.

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Ninth and School Streets
Rev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor
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EAST SECOND STREET ZION

507 E. Second St.
S. S. Ingram, Pastor
There will be a program given at the evening service by the Cavalary chorus of Corinthian Baptist church.

FREE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

1046 12th Street
Sabbath school, 9:30; Preaching, 11:15; Y. P. M. Y., 8:00; H. M. M., 3:00; Mid-week services, Wednesday evening, 8:00; Bible study class, Friday evening, 8:00; at 1060 11th street. Elder A. C. Chatman, pastor.

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222 E. 18th and Maple Streets
Rev. J. W. Harris, Pastor
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:45 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal Friday at 8 p. m.

afternoon. Quarterly conference was held on last Monday evening at the parsonage, which was well attended.

Mrs. George Tylor is expected to return home this week, having spent several weeks at her old home in New Orleans, where she was called at the death of her sister, Bethel A. M. E. church has joined a city-wide campaign to encourage church attendance, said campaign to terminate Easter Sunday, April 21.

Sports

By Allen Aahy
The Five made another trip back up to Webster County, playing at Jewell and the home laws last Tuesday 34 to 26. Wednesday the Ames Collegians came down and were terribly surprised as our boys were ready. The final score was 48 to 27. Three junior teams entered the city meet. The Comets many of their players not much bigger than the ball, drew a great big team, the Y leader, and went out. The Meteors blew a first half lead to lose out in the first round of the class A division. The Y stars who would have probably won the meet were barred after going to the semi-finals because the team they beat in their second round protested after the game and found an ineligible player who didn't play long enough to make any difference in the result. We don't argue evasion of the rules for anybody, but it seems so cheap to stage a protest after the boys played their hearts out to win. It is our contention that in all fairness to the other boys seek protests, should be made before a game or not at all. It would be possible for a team to play a boy who was ineligible and then if they lose protest the other team who might be ignorant of their other players. We were credited with a forfeit loss to the Westminister team in the South side Gold Medal meet. We had planned to enter the meet, but had said we could not play Wednesday and were assured we would not have to. Then we saw in Wednesday's paper that we were to play Wednesday, so we didn't play.

WHAT ABOUT LOUIS?
The big scramble is on for the shot at Max Baers' crown. Max Schmeling's knockout of Steve Hamas put him back in the picture. Lasky and James Braddock are also considered. There is a little matter of Joe Louis

Reservoir Keeps Tab on Height, Phones Figures

One of the queerest telephone numbers is on Biddulph, a tiny exchange near Hanley, Staffordshire, says the Montreal Herald. Anyone phoning this number suddenly hears a weird and powerful voice repeating at short intervals: "Six-four... Six-four... Six-four..." or some other figures. It is the voice of a reservoir. Over a thousand feet above sea-level, on the top of Mow Cop, is the reservoir of Congleton Urban district council. Every day a reading has to be obtained of the height of the water in the reservoir. To save the strenuous climb up the hill, the council officials installed a device which automatically speaks the height of the water to anyone telephoning. The secret of the apparatus is a gramophone record. The moment the phone bell rings a telephone receiver alights on the record. This receiver is connected to a float on the surface of the water. As the height of the water varies, so does the place where the receiver alights. The record then "talks" the exact figure into the telephone receiver. It repeats it eight times, and then rings off. The phone number of the reservoir—25—is listed in the directory. The "voice" is perfectly distinct on a trunk call from London.

Types of Boats

A schooner is a fore-and-aft rigged vessel, originally and still typically having two masts, with the smaller sail on the foremast and the mainmast stepped nearly amidships. Catboat—a one-masted sailboat, having its mast stepped well forward, carrying a single fore-and-aft sail extended by a gaff and boom and usually having a centerboard. Yawl—a small vessel rigged like a cutter, with the addition of a jigger mast. Sloop—a single-masted fore-and-aft rigged vessel carrying a mainsail and a jib and often a staysail and gaff-topmast. It has also a fixed bowsprit, topmast and standing rigging. Ketch—a strongly built two-masted vessel, fore-and-aft rigged similar to a yawl except that the mainmast of the ketch is stepped forward of the rudderpost.

Horns of Coffee

Ethiopia is the original home of coffee. The tree was first found there by Arab travelers in the province of Kafa, from which the beverage takes its name. Seed was taken from Kafa to the Mocha district in Arabia. In Kafa and adjoining parts of southwestern Ethiopia may be seen vast and virgin forests of coffee. The tree grows without care. Thousands of tons of berries fall to the ground in waste every year.

Ants Are Loyal

The ant specializes in loyalty, co-operation and devotion to the highest ideals in the art of living together. It has made the female boss! The lowly serfite sterilizes all the male offspring, but the husband of the queen, and sets these eunuchs to mopping up the kitchen looking after the dining room and nursery and building defenses for the territory. There are no lounge lizards among termites.

Banking 100 Years Ago

One hundred years ago there was a perfect mania for banking in the country, notes often occurring when stock in a new bank was offered. To open a bank was the panacea for almost every ill. Men would associate themselves to do when badly in debt and open a bank. Some have a few occurred in 1823. A man, a bank was he suffered

who flattened twice in ten rounds a boy who held his own with Humes. This boy who everybody concedes to be a terrible puncher was a list of kayos that can't very well be overlooked.

JACKSON AND DAWSON WIN COUNCIL SEATS IN CHICAGO

Chicago—(AP)—Robert R. Jackson and William L. Dawson, both Republicans, won re-election to the Chicago city council in the primaries Tuesday. They represent the Third and Second wards, respectively.

First Cannon Tubes of Wood Metal or Made of Wood

Early war engines included the catapult, employing twisted fiber or hair for propelling power; the ballista, a largesized catapult, and the onager, a machine employing the principle of the springboard for projecting missiles, says a writer in the Chicago Tribune. A small catapult had a range of about 400 yards, a larger and heavier one a greater maximum range. Missile engines took various forms as they were developed up to the time of the invention of gunpowder, though it is doubtful whether any of them had a greater range than the 1,000 yards of the superorgans invented by Archimedes. The introduction of gunpowder into the business of war in Europe early in the fourteenth century changed completely both weapons and missiles, though the change was not so abrupt as might be supposed. For a long time, for instance, the old missile engines remained almost the equal of early cannon, and the longbow stood as superior to the earliest small arms employing powder. Cannon were invented before muskets and pistols. First cannon were called bombardards and were nothing more than tubes of metal or tubes of wood bound with metal. These bombardards, some of which were constructed to great proportions and capable of hurling missiles weighing as much as 1,800 pounds, had a maximum range of not more than 2,000 yards, a majority, however, shooting extreme distances of much less than that.

Palestine Battleground of Countless Opposing Hosts

Standing always at the crossroads of Africa and Asia, it has been Palestine's fate to serve as a battleground of foreign hosts and as a center of turbulent passions, notes a writer in the Washington Post. The succession of majestic figures that have moved across the canvas of the Holy Land, portrayed in the powerful narratives of the Old and New Testaments, have kept this land yet the Land of the Bible.

In Palestine there are unforgettable contrasts in attire, speech, habits and manner of life. The Bedouin in flowing garb drives a line of solemn camels in stately caravan side by side with the speeding automobile and within sound of the droning airplane. Four thousand years of history link up the Palestine of today with the Canaan of old. In the Bedouin one sees the wild and free shepherds of the days when Canaan was a pastoral land. The Arab peasant may well be the prototype of the tiller of the soil of yore. In the Christian Arabs of Bethlehem and Nazareth one will recall the picturesque epoch of the Crusaders. And in the industrial and agricultural activity of the Jews is the era when Israel was a nation.

It is only from the Fourteenth century B. C. that Palestine's history becomes more definite. In the ensuing centuries many changes have taken place, yet through the ages, each fresh chapter of its history has been recorded, to remain a part of the mysterious East.

The Palomino Horse

The term palomino is simply one word used to describe the painted horse, that is, a horse showing regular markings of white and black, or white and another color. In some instances of three colors. The painted horse so common in the West is a descendant of the Spanish horse brought to America by the Spanish conquistadores. The striking coloration has not resulted from any careful breeding. On the contrary horses of this type are allowed to run on the range for a part of the year as a rule, and their breeding has been rather a matter of chance.

Waterfowl Destroyed

At the completion of a survey made by the United States biological survey and Canada, jointly, covering a period of some twenty years, beginning in 1909 and ending in 1929, it was brought to light that 90 per cent of all species of waterfowl that once existed on the North American continent has been destroyed during the period of construction and destruction since the country was first inhabited by the civilized race.

Where Cold Weather Comes From

Cold weather comes from the north southward in the form of cold air masses, or highs, which flow out of the Arctic basin, says an authority. The most frequent path into the United States is down the basin of the McKenzie river through western Canada, across Montana and the Dakotas, and gradually turning eastward. The North-west gets the full shock of them and consequently is normally the coldest part of the country.

English Longbow Good Weapon

Old manuscripts say of the English longbow of the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries that its full cast was 200 yards. That was with an arrow with a sharpened steel broadhead point or with a bodkin point, a missile sufficiently strong and heavy to pierce armor at short range or tell a man at a distance almost as great as its maximum carry.

Letters Paved Street of Madison

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Aaron H. Payne, Attorney and Son-in-law of Dr. Emmett J. Scott, was the principal opponent against Dawson.

He received 7,998 votes, as against 13,474 for Dawson. Jackson had no formidable opponent. Both Jackson and Dawson, though Republicans, were endorsed by the Democratic city machine.

MUSSOLINI SPEEDS WAR PREPARATIONS AGAINST ABYSSINIA

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that he had 7,000,000 reserve troops ready for "any eventuality" in Africa. Meantime, he is continuing to ship thousands of troops and war materials into Massawa, an Eritrean port on the Red sea, seventy miles from Abyssinia.

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OUR STATE DEPARTMENT SILENCE

Speaking before the inter-racial commission here Monday night, F. J. Libby, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of War, called attention to the fact that when Japan through force took Manchuria from China, the United States protested basing its action on the Kellogg-Briand peace pact which provides that the members will not recognize territory taken from one country by another by force. He suggested that the United States should follow the same procedure in the controversy between Abyssinia and Italy since the same situation is involved.

Peculiar to say our state department has not been heard from on this question. Yet if the weaker nations get any protection from the larger ones and if these peace treaties mean anything, then the larger nations must at least use moral force to the end that justice might prevail.

ON THE FENCE

An interesting phase of the fight between General Johnson on the one hand and Father Coughlin and Senator Long on the other is the attempt of Father Coughlin to criticize President Roosevelt's advice and policies at the same time continue to argue "Roosevelt or Run."

Father Coughlin's chief targets are the Federal Reserve Bank, Bernard Baruch, and General Johnson and yet President Roosevelt has not kicked out the Federal Reserve Bank, denounced Baruch or General Johnson. Does Father Coughlin imply that the president can not shake off these "money changers"? After all a fellow is generally known by the company he keeps.

Evidently, Father Coughlin feels that President Roosevelt is still too popular to criticize and that he can carry his point by denouncing the president's advisers.

THANKS OUR FRIENDS

Last week the Bystander closed its second cooking school. Large and enthusiastic audiences attended each session and were unanimous in their praise of the success of the venture.

At the time the school was planned the management decided to use home talent and to concentrate on bringing record crowds that the Bystander might demonstrate its drawing power to its advertisers. Both were along with the style and table setting contest successful.

Beginning March 1, the charge for obituaries including cards of thanks will be one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25), instead of one dollar, the maximum space being four inches. Additional space will be forty cents per inch.

Beginning March 1, the following rates will govern subscriptions to the Bystander:

Dental Health Education Hints

By Dr. Millard K. Dean

ELEPHANT HAS TOOTH FILLED

About two months or more ago an elephant in the Rostov Zoological park in Moscow had the misfortune to break off the end of one of its tusks. Remember the tusk of the elephant is similar to our tooth, therefore the broken tusk was very painful the same as a broken down tooth with an injured nerve would be. After a consultation of the dentists in Moscow it was decided to remove the nerve, clean out the canal and save the tusk.

The elephant was finally induced to the side of the cage by means of various favorite foods and the group of dentists began the treatments. The filling of the tusk required almost a month as the elephant couldn't be held in place very long at a time but now the pain is over and according to the Rostov Zoological park authorities the elephant is again cheerful. The amount of filling material used would have filled completely about 150 human molar teeth.

Questions and comments

Dear Dr. Dean:
I think that I have pyorrhea in a few of my teeth and want them taken out but I don't want to have all of my teeth pulled. Would I be doing right to leave some that are not as bad in my mouth.

Mrs. G. McM., Des Moines, Iowa.

Ans. The extent of the pyorrhea would determine the amount of teeth to be extracted and this could only be determined by your dentist looking in your mouth and examining the remaining teeth. Also it is usually better to extract all of the teeth rather than to have a few scattered ones as they may become loosened soon and necessitate another plate.

Dear Dr. Dean:
Can the yellow stain be cleaned off of the teeth?

Mr. M. B., Des Moines, Iowa.

Ans. The yellow stain from fruit juice and to some extent tobacco can be removed by your dentist but the teeth of some people are naturally a yellow color and this can not be whitened.

Puts His Approval on Dean Houston and N.A.A.C.P. in Signed Statement; Admits Boston Alibi Was Not True and Says He Was in Virginia at Time of Crime

Richmond, Va., March 8.—George Crawford, for the second time in two weeks, told the press here today that the Virginia penitentiary that he was satisfied with the outcome of his case, that he approved what had been done by Dean Charles H. Houston of the Howard law school, his attorney, and had no complaint against the N. A. A. C. P. Crawford was convicted of murdering Mrs. Agnes Boeing Illsley, wealthy sportswoman, at Leesburg, Va., in December, 1933, and later pleaded guilty to the charge of murdering Mrs. Illsley's maid, Mrs. Buckner. He received two sentences of life imprisonment. Since that time the N. A. A. C. P. and Dean Houston have been criticized by Communists and others and accused of failing to do everything possible for Crawford.

Crawford, however, told the press the Boston alibi would have been "lies." But the National Association made it clear that there was no imputation of bad faith on the part of Boston Counsel who handled the extradition portion of the Crawford case. The Association further stated that it believed the witnesses who testified in Boston in support of the alibi testified to the best of their recollection as to the whereabouts of Crawford the day of the murder, January 1, 1934, and died March 9, 1935, in Des Moines, Iowa. She was married in

Health Talks

Dr. H. H. London

ARTERIOSCLEROSIS

Arteriosclerosis is conceded to be an affection or a disease which shows itself in the second half of life in the vast majority of cases, but occasionally, a case will appear in the early part of the first half of life with symptoms equally as marked as those which prevail in the latter half. The term means literally, arterial hardening, and this hardening means a complete change in the artery whereby its entire flexibility is lost so that the nervous connections which exert an influence over the expansion and contractility of the arterial wall are lost and have no effect whatsoever on the arterial wall as in health.

Cases which occur in the first half of life are due to the same causes which contribute to the affection in the second half of life with perhaps one difference and that is, that there has been an inherited tendency toward early change in the circulatory system. The change in the arterial is at first observed and not felt by the one who is affected, and there is really no way for one to know that Arteriosclerosis is beginning in the system unless an examination be made to determine its presence or absence.

Even when fairly well started the progressive course and damage from such a condition may be stopped so that further change in the arterial walls will not occur. But if one waits until symptoms of this condition become definite and well manifested he will be afflicted with a condition that is very difficult to cure.

It is sometimes necessary to change the routine and the habits of the individual along with certain other remedial measures to bring about a cessation in the progress of the disease process. There is no definite causative agent but there are a number of things which are known to predispose to arterial hardening and these are taken into consideration when the cure is begun. Taken in time this condition will not produce a serious or irreparable change and may even be the procedure which results in a long and healthy life.

previous to the day they testified. Crawford's written statement sets forth he is satisfied with his life sentence because he was seen by so many people in Virginia at the time of the crime—people he did not realize had seen him.

OBITUARY

Arnold Lyle was born in Richmond, Mo., June 26, 1883, and died Tuesday, March 5, 1935 in Des Moines, Iowa. He was married to Miss Lillian Simmons of Des Moines, Iowa, in 1920. His widow, five sons, two daughters, and other relatives survive. Funeral services were held Friday, March 8, at L. Fowler & Son Funeral Home, Rev. Wm. Rice officiated. Interment in Glendale cemetery.

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We thank the friends for the kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Arnold Lyle, beautiful floral display, donation of cars, Rev. Rice for his inspiring remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their efficient service. Mrs. Lillian Lyle, wife; Elton Lyle, son.

OBITUARY

Laura Ann Mason was born in Memphis, Scotland county, Mo., July 1, 1849, and died March 9, 1935, in Des Moines, Iowa. She was married in

1864 to James W. Dameron and after his death in 1871 she married George W. Mason in 1873. She was charter member of the A. M. F. church in 1870 in Memphis, Mo. Mrs. Mason belonged to the Kings Daughters in Iowa City, Ia., Princes Zorah chapter, Order of the Eastern Star in Des Moines and was one of the oldest members of St. Paul church, Des Moines. Her son, two daughters and others relatives survive. Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 12, at the St. Paul A. M. E. church. Rev. J. A. Alexander officiated. Interment in Glendale cemetery.

CARDS OF THANKS

We thank the friends for the kindness shown during the illness and death of our loved one, Mrs. Laura Mason, beautiful floral display, donation of cars, Grand Patron, Revs. G. W. Robinson, A. Ross Brent, S. M. Riley, for their inspiring remarks and L. Fowler and Son for their efficient service. Mrs. Alice Jackson, daughter, Mrs. Margaret Lowry, daughter, Columbus, Ohio; James L. Dameron, son; and Mrs. Helen D. Beshears, granddaughter.

Washington, D. C., March 8.—Vice President John N. Garner laid before the senate last Monday a resolution adopted by the house of representatives of the state of Georgia protesting against the enactment of the Costigan-Wagner anti-lynching bill. The resolution raises an issue as to whether advocates or opponents of federal anti-lynching legislation are representative of the south in this regard.

The resolution contends that the Costigan-Wagner bill is aimed directly at the south. It objects to its provisions on the ground that taxpayers would be subject to penalties for which they may not be justly liable. It charges that interracial organizations are conveying a wrong impression of the attitude of the south toward anti-lynching legislation.

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Phoenix, Fabulous Bird, Said to Live in Arabia

The phoenix is a fabulous bird that was said to live in Arabia, and of which Herodotus gives the following account in that part of his work which treats on Egypt:

"The phoenix is another sacred bird, which I have never seen except in effigy. He rarely appears in Egypt; only once in 500 years, immediately after the death of his father, as the Heliopolitans affirm.

"If the painters describe him truly, his feathers represent a mixture of crimson and gold; and he resembles the eagle in outline and size. They affirm that he contrives the following thing, which to me is not credible. They say that he comes from Arabia, and bringing the body of his father enclosed in myrrh, buries him in the temple of the sun, and that he brings him in the following manner: "First he molds as great a quantity of myrrh into the shape of an egg as he is well able to carry; and after having tried the weight, he lowers out the egg and puts his parent into it, and stapes up with some more myrrh the hole through which he had introduced the body, so that the weight is the same as before; he then carries the whole mass to the temple of the sun in Egypt. Such is the account they give of the phoenix."

The popular version is that, on arriving at the age of five hundred years, the phoenix built a funeral pile of wood and aromatic gums, and lighting it by the fanning of his wings, was consumed to ashes, out of which arose a new phoenix.

Lloyd's Formed in London in Seventeenth Century

Lloyd's is an organization of underwriters formed in London in the Seventeenth century, but not incorporated until that was done by act of parliament in 1871.

The organization takes its name from that of Edward Lloyd, who kept a coffee house in Tower street, London, about 250 years ago. In his place underwriters met to transact their business. It became their headquarters and there they remained until 1774, when they removed to the Royal Exchange where they have been ever since.

Lloyd's does not undertake insurance business as a corporation. The business is conducted by member firms under their own account, but in accordance with the rules of the society, which thus compares to the stock exchanges and similarly regulated market places.

Lloyd's is also an organization for the collection and distribution of maritime intelligence, and this is published in Lloyd's List—The List, founded in 1696 as Lloyd's News, is with one exception the oldest current newspaper in Europe. The corporation also publishes various works for the benefit of members, shippers and the business world in general.

First Wooden Indians

An authority on wooden Indians, says: "Wooden Indians are not indigenous to American soil. As early as the reign of James I the wooden Indian was a familiar sight in England. Of the early wooden Indians in America, an odd, cupid-like Pochontas that once stood guard on Hancock street, Boston, dates from 1790. The pioneer authenticated appearance of a cigar store show figure was in 1770, when Christopher Demuth opened a tobacco shop in Lancaster, Pa. This figure was not an Indian but a delicate minute-type gentleman extending a snuff-box invitingly."

Minister Without Portfolio

A minister without portfolio refers to a member of the cabinet of the European parliamentary type. The cabinet as a whole is formed by the prime minister, at the request of the president for the king, and it includes the heads of the regular departments corresponding to the members of the cabinet of the United States. It may also include cabinet ministers who do not head any given department, but who may assist the premier in any cabinet matters. Such a minister has equal rank with other cabinet ministers, but is not an executive as the head of a department.

Penguins in Love

Penguins in love are pugnacious. When more than one Romeo is attracted to the same Juliet, a merry fight is likely. With beaks and flip-pers they go for each other, delivering cuts and stabs and raining savage blows about them with such speed that the eye can hardly follow. If the fair object of all this excitement has a preference she may enter the fray on his side, but more often she will sit by serenely.

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ous organization, resulted in the swinging of clubs by more than 100 policemen, aided by twenty bailiffs, the death of Captain Joseph Palynski, 73 year old veteran police officer, the wounding of Deputy Bailiff Philip Branklin, Jr., twelve policemen, six bailiffs and two members of the cult.

The police captain dropped dead from heart disease during the fifteen minute riot which took place in the court room of the police building at 1121 South State street. Deputy Sheriff Branklin, Jr., was shot in the chest and seriously wounded. The twelve policemen and the six deputies were suffering from knife wounds and the two members of the Negro cult were slightly wounded from bullets.

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