

News of the Lodges and Fraternities

Masonic.

Rough Ashler Lodge No. 74, A. F. & A. M., Omaha Neb. Meetings, first and third Tuesdays in each month. J. H. Wakefield, W. M.; E. C. Underwood, Secretary.

Excelsior Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Omaha, Neb. Meetings first and third Thursdays in each month.

Zaha Temple No. 52, A. E. A. O. U. M. S., Omaha, Neb. Meetings the fourth Wednesday in each month. N. Hunter, Ill. Potentate; Charles W. Dickerson, Ill. Recorder.

Shaffer Chapter No. 42, O. E. S., Omaha, Neb. Meetings first and third Friday in each month. Maggie Ransom, R. M. Elnora Obee, Secretary.

Rescue Lodge No. 25, A. F. & A. M., Omaha, Neb. Meetings first and third Monday in each month. Lodge rooms, Twenty-fourth and Charles streets. William Burrell, W. M.; H. Warner, Secretary.

Keystone Lodge No. 4, K. of P., Omaha, Neb. Meetings first and third Thursday of each month. C. Lewis, C. C.; A. Marshall, K. of R. S.

Omaha Lodge No. 2226, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows. Meeting nights, the first and third Thursdays of each month. Lodge rooms, 2522 1/2 Lake street. C. M. Johnson, N. G.; J. C. Belcher, Cor. Secretary.

Western Star No. 1, K. of P.—Meetings second and fourth Thursdays in each month. J. N. Thomas, C. C.; E. R. Robinson, K. of R. and S.

NO COLOR LINE IN THE SAND HILLS, BANNER, NEB.

(By Mrs. Sadie Selby.)

Rain, rain and more rain. Hay and corn are doing fine and frost having delayed coming, the people in the settlement will have plenty.

Potatoes are fine.

Mr. Dewitty was in Seneca recently.

Quarterly meeting here September 12th, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Barclay, was well attended. Mrs. A. P. Curtis and daughter have returned home after a delightful two weeks' visit in Chicago.

Leo Leneer and wife are employed at the Seneca hotel as chef and pastry cook, respectively.

Mr. Harry Tyler has returned home from Seneca to his ranch on Big creek.

See De Witty Bros. for dry goods and groceries. Fresh butter and eggs bought and sold.

Young turkeys for sale. Mrs. A. P. Curtis.

Mrs. Sadie Selby, our correspondent, has been having trouble with an injured hand. In trying to shoot a big rattler, the shotgun recoiled and severely injured her hand.

Miss Pearl Woodson is teacher of district school No. 164, which has opened with a large enrollment.

Billy Sunday wouldn't stand any show out here. We don't draw color lines out in the hills.

APPOINTED GENERAL MANAGER.

Joseph J. Atwell has been appointed general manager of the South Carolina Mutual Insurance company, the widely known Negro insurance company of Durham, N. C. Mr. Atwell will have his headquarters at Columbia, S. C.

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Haitien Marries a Virginia White Girl

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 1.—Maryland's law against the marrying of persons of Negro and Caucasian descent evidently does not apply to foreigners. This is evidenced by the fact that Maurice Menos, son of Solon Menos, the Haitien minister to the United States, was married in Baltimore to Miss Lillian Burgess, of Culpepper, Va., but recently attending a business college in Washington, where she met young Menos.

Menos is 26 years old, and is secretary of the Haitien legation, going to Washington a year ago from Paris, where he held a minor post.

The marriage was performed Friday, September 17, by the Rev. J. M. Wallace, pastor of the Aisquith Street Presbyterian church, an influential white minister. Mrs. Apted, an aunt, and Mrs. Joseph Janis, a sister, accompanied Miss Burgess from Washington to Baltimore and witnessed the ceremony. Luncheon was had at the Belvedere, the leading hotel in the exclusive residential district, after which young Menos and his bride left for New York.

The Haitien minister was not aware of his son's intention, and had not heard of the ceremony until questioned by reporters.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR SENATORIAL TOGA

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degree and a short while ago conferred upon him the degree of doctor of laws. While at Knox, one of his fellow students, who was also working his way through, was R. W. Freeman, the oldest colored letter carrier on the Omaha force. Subsequently Mr. Kennedy graduated from the state university of Iowa with the degree of bachelor of law. He came at once to Omaha. That was in 1882, thirty-three years ago. He had the usual trials of the average young lawyer. Pluck, patience and persistence won.

Nine years ago he represented the Second Nebraska district for two years in congress. Mr. Hitchcock, whom he expects to defeat in the next senatorial election, defeated him for congress. He was chairman of the republican state committee in 1911 and served as a member of the board of fire and police commissioners of Omaha for a number of years. Mr. Kennedy is a member of the Presbyterian church and a trustee of Bellevue college.

Early in July Mr. Kennedy, than whom there is no better qualified man in the state, announced his candidacy for the senatorial toga. The nominations are to be made at the primaries in the spring. The election follows in the autumn. Nebraska elects her senators by the direct vote of the people. At the primaries and at the subsequent elections of November, the colored voters—who in national politics are republican—will undoubtedly support, almost unanimously, the man whom they believe from his fair-mindedness and love of justice for all men, will do all in his power to insure to them, so far as legislation can effect it, not special privileges, but that equality of opportunity and all civic rights and privileges, untrammelled by repressive and discriminatory laws, to which they are justly entitled as American citizens. That man is the Hon. John Lauderdale Kennedy.

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