

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.

Omaha Lodge No. 146, A. F. and A. M., Omaha, Neb. Meetings first and third Fridays of every month. Lodge room 1018 Douglas street. Will N. Johnson, W. M.; Wynn McCulloch, 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.

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.

Omaha Lodge No. 2226, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows. Meeting nights, the first and third Thursdays of each month. Lodge rooms, 2522½ Lake street. L. S. Moates, N. G.; J. C. Belcher, Cor. Secretary.

"AN IRREPARABLE LOSS." (Birmingham Age-Herald.)

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 14.—"In Booker T. Washington's death, Alabama and the whole South will sustain an irreparable loss. Well may all friends of education pay tribute to his memory."

STATE SUPREME COURT SUSTAINS MAYOR

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court. The case was there submitted upon briefs and arguments of counsel for both parties.

The complete record of the evidence heard before the lower court was certified up together with prospectus, brochure, and comments, local and foreign.

The supreme court in the opinion just handed down reviewed the photoplay and the alleged historical events that it purported to portray. The decision unreservedly sustains the right of the mayor to revoke the license, and held that the mayor properly exercised his power of discretion in refusing to permit the play to be exhibited.

"Courts will not interfere with a municipal officer upon whom is conferred discretionary power, unless it clearly appears that he has wontonly abused that power," says the opinion.

The learned justices, after reviewing the evidence and commenting caustically upon the attempt through the medium of "The Birth of a Nation" to revive issues long since forgotten and by that means incite hatred of one race against another held that the mayor wisely exercised his discretionary power in preventing the film from being shown in the city of Minneapolis.

The order of the circuit court of Hennepin county, dismissing the complainant's bill for an injunction was affirmed.

This is the first case involving the many legal attempts to prevent the exhibition of "The Birth of a Nation" that has reached and been decided by a state court of last resort. It is a signal victory for the opponents of Thomas Dixon's vicious attempt to stamp the whole male portion of the Negro race as rapists and renegades. The decision will be of incalculable benefit to the race and fair-minded whites in stopping the play wherever hereafter attempts to exhibit it are made.

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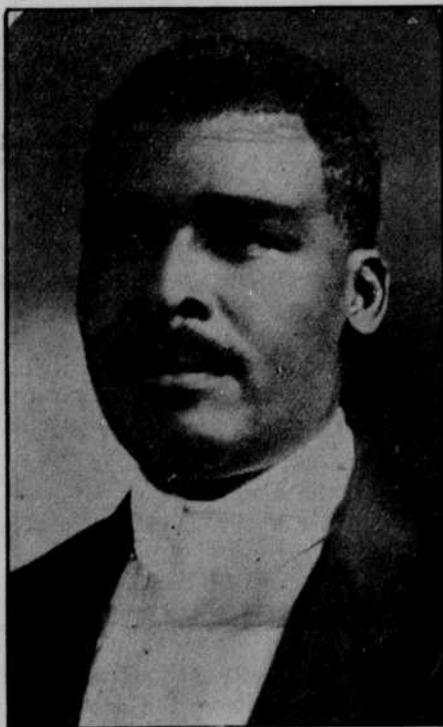
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