

**Letters from Our Readers**

**LIKES STYLE AND EDITORIALS**

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 24, 1917.  
 Rev. John Albert Williams,  
 1119 N. 21st Street, Omaha, Neb.  
 My Dear Friend: Enclosed please find check for The Monitor. Please pardon the delay in remitting. The Monitor is very pleasing to read. I like its style and your editorials are sound and sane.  
 May it live long.

Yours very truly,  
 R. L. COLE.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 1, 1917.  
 Rev. Jno. Albert Williams,  
 Editor of The Monitor,

Dear Sir: Will you be kind enough to have a cut made of the inclosed photo of my deceased nephew and insert it in your very interesting paper. on March 17th, the week following his death, which occured on March 12, 1916. He was very dear to me.

I trust you and your family are enjoying good health. I still have the picture of you and baby, also of your church in my den. I enjoy reading The Monitor very much.

Do you ever think of comng to our city. My door is open to you, and you are welcome.

Remember me kindly to your family; also Mr. Pryor and Mr. Singleton, and all my friends.

Accept my best wishes for your happiness, health and prosperity.

Sincerely your friend,  
 GEO. A. ROBINSON.

**South Side Notes**

(Mrs. Lulu Thornton, Correspondent)

Mrs. Rosie Helem of Chicago, who came to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Josephine Mitchell, returned home the last of this week.

Mr. Robert Carter of Evansville, Ind., with his family, has moved to South Omaha. They expect to make this their home.

The baptismal services for Bethel Baptist church has been changed from last Sunday in March until the first Sunday in April.

Mrs. Sara Gray of 4422 South 24th street has been quite sick this week with a severe attack of asthma.

John Ruskin Cigar, 5 cents. Biggest and Best.

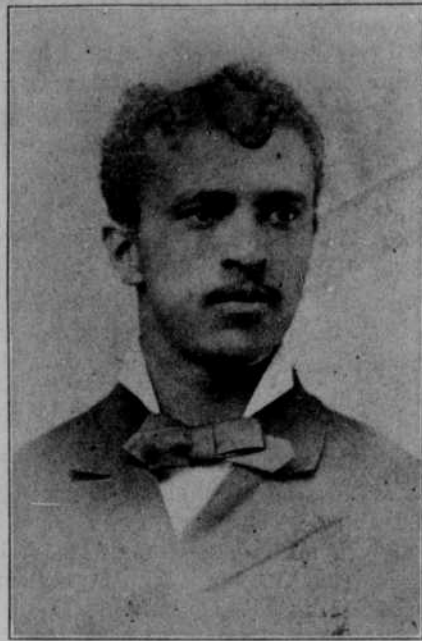
The Mission Circle of Bethel Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Gibbs, 5418 So. 27th street.

The members and friends of the two churches of the South Side have decided to organize a literary society. For this purpose all the young people and old as well are invited to be present with us next Tuesday night, March 20th, to organize. This meeting will be held at Bethel Baptist church. Everybody invited.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Allen Chapel A. M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Scruggs Friday, March 16th. Mrs. S. Stapleton, the president, entertained. The ladies felt encouraged and benefitted by the talk made by their new pastor, Rev. J. W. Wilson.

**AN AMERICAN**

Emil G. Boltz, in the New York Sun, made a list of the things necessary to be truly an American. The last if these is as follows: Who tries to be kin to every race and color and creed, because he has no wish to draw distinctions among those who will serve him in the pinch.



ABRAM W. PARKER

Passed into rest March 12, 1916. A noble life has lately passed away, A noble man to every instinct true, True to his word—can greater praise be given,

Can better epitaph on stone be graven—

True to his friends, true to his hope in Heaven;

These are the tributes on his grave now laid

And when mid silence "Earth to Earth" was said

We bowed in reverence to the illustrious dead.

Devoted wife and children and uncle,

Geo. A. Robinson,  
 Philadelphia.

**DEATHS AND BURIALS**

Lee Travis, aged 42, died at St. Louis, Mo., February 27. The body was brought to Omaha and was buried from St. John's A. M. E. church last Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of Kepstone Lodge, K. of P. of which the deceased was a member. The Rev. W. T. Osborne officiated. Interment was in Frest Lawn. He is survived by his wife and other relatives. Jones and Chiles had charge of the funeral.

William R. Frazier died Friday, March 9, at the country hospital. The remains were shipped to Valley Falls, Kans., by the Western Undertaking Company.

Mrs. Lucy Davenport died at her home, 2116 Paul street, Tuesday morning. The Western Undertaking Company will have charge of the funeral, which will be held Sunday.

Jefferson Hill died at his residence, 2519 Parker street, Friday, March 9. The funeral was held from Mt. Moriah Baptist church Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Knights of Tabor of which order the deceased

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was a member in Oklahoma. The Rev. M. H. Wilkinson officiated. Interment was in Forest Lawn. He is survived by his father and mother and his wife and two children. Jones and Chiles were the undertakers.

Jesse J. Wallace of 2517 Cuming street, died at Hot Springs, Ark., where he had gone for his health, March 4. The body was brought to Omaha and buried by Jones and Chiles from Zion Baptist church, Friday, March 9. The Rev. W. F. Botts officiated. Two brothers survive.

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