

Among the Churches

ALLEN CHAPEL, A. M. E. CHURCH

Rev. J. A. Broadnax, Pastor.

All day Sunday the services were excellent.

On next Sunday Rev. Mr. Qualls will be in charge, as the pastor will be in Fremont on that day helping Rev. J. W. Stapleton in his rally there.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Sarah Jones, Twenty-fifth and N streets, on Friday.

MT. MORIAH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. M. H. Wilkinson, Pastor

Good services all day Sunday; additions were made to the church.

Baptizing services will be held on next Sunday morning.

Every worth while man of this church is asked to be present promptly at 8:30 on Monday evening, May 26.

The Silver Leaf club met with Mrs. Stoval, 2608 Seward street. After a short business meeting a dainty luncheon was served.

The Swastika Art club will have a three days' bazaar June 18-20.

On Wednesday afternoon the Art club met at Mrs. Banks, 1832 North 23d street.

The Sunshine Mission met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Stoval, 2608 Seward street.

Visitors are welcome.

PILGRIM REST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. M. Franklin, Pastor

The Children's Starlight Mission

Band meets every Tuesday at 7 p. m.

On last Sunday morning Rev. W. M. Young preached a soul-stirring sermon.

Rev. F. K. Union entertained the congregation at 3 p. m.

At 8 p. m. the pastor preached to a large audience, subject: "Christian Assurance." The collections were good. Several additions were made. Strangers given a cordial welcome.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. T. A. Taggart, Pastor

The Mission Circle met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Estelle Andrews. On Sunday afternoon Rev. Taggart will deliver a sermon at Zion Baptist church, 23d and Grant.

Don't forget the crowning of the May Queen to be held Thursday evening at A. O. U. W. temple, May 29th.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH

Rev. M. R. Rhonenece, Pastor

The Pastor's Aid society met at the parsonage on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. There was a good attendance. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Gamble, and everybody had a delightful time. Mrs. Minnie Herdon, president; Mrs. Cozen, secretary.

The Church Aid met at Mrs. E. Baker's on Third avenue and 27th streets. Thirty ladies were present. The time was spent in planning for a bazaar to be held May 21 and 22. All are invited to the rally to be held

May 25.

Stewardess Board No. 1 and 2 will entertain on Decoration day. Mrs. Rosa Richardson and Mrs. Ruby Lee, chairmen.

Services of the church were good all day; two additions were made.

The ninety days' building rally will begin, reports will be made on the first of each month.

Rev. W. C. Williams and his congregation will be with us Sunday afternoon from Omaha, north side and Rev. I. A. Broadnax and his congregation South Side.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. P. Jackson, Pastor

Services Sunday were good. At 11:30 a. m. the subject of the pastor's address was, "The Solution of Religious Difficulties;" at 8:15, "The Lord Rideth Upon the Floods."

The Carnation club will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Kennerd, 1406 7th avenue.

The Palm club will meet with Mrs. G. Manuel, 1415 West Broad on Friday afternoon at 2:30. On Thursday there will be a concert for the new building.

The Missionary society will meet at the residence of Mrs. Fannie Fountain on South 13th street. Meeting called at 2:30 p. m.

Sunday is the Nail Driving rally. There will be three contesting sides, red, white and blue. Each nail will cost \$1.00. Rev. Costello and his congregation will assist in the service. On the Sunday following Rev. Broadnax will assist.

The young men of the church presented the church with a new bible and a window valued at \$88.

Miss Addie Davis has been quite ill, but is improving fast.

Mrs. Lizzie Anderson at the Mercy Hospital is now able to receive visitors.

Mr. W. M. Green and son have located in our city on 8th avenue and Seventeenth street. His wife will soon join them.

Mr. Wallee Lyons was elected branch secretary of the Great Western Union, and Mrs. Viola Reddick was elected trustee.

Rev. Rhonenece and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hupp, 2122 Paul street, Omaha, on last Thursday evening.

Mr. Thomas Rostum has bought a house and lot on West Broadway.

Mrs. Hally Preston was called to Muskogee, Okla., on account of the illness of a bother and sister there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rodriguey and Mr. and Mrs. Farmer entertained the Rev. Mr. Rhonenece and wife, and the Rev. Mr. Gambe and wife at dinner Sunday.

Mr. Kennerd has bought a fine ten-room house.

Mr. Nixon has bought some property on 15th street and 23d avenue.

HAZING NOT DUE TO THE COLOR QUESTION

(By the Associated Negro Press.)

Orono, Me., May 23.—The race question was not the cause of a recent hazing episode in which two members of the sophomore class were covered with molasses and feathers, according to President R. J. Aley of the University of Maine, who issued a formal statement regarding it.

After saying that Colored students are welcomed at the university and well treated, the statement explains that members of the freshman class, resenting treatment received from the two sophomores "determined, as they say, to repay this treatment," and visited their rooms.

There was a scuffle and the sophomores escaped, but later gave themselves up to the freshmen, who hazed them by applying molasses and feathers.

The statement adds that the faculty does not condone the affair, regarding it as extremely regrettable, "but one likely to happen any time, at any college, the gravity depending much upon the susceptibilities of the victim and the notoriety given it."

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National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Reports Huge Increase in Membership During the War.

FOUGHT JIM CROWISM IN ARMY

Will Continue to Combat Every Effort to Withhold or Deny Full Opportunities and Privileges of American Citizenship to Which All Are Entitled.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Colored people of the United States are awakening to the need for organization to assure them the guarantees and privileges of citizenship which are at present denied them, according to the annual report just published of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Throughout the country 85 new branches and 34,712 members, largely Colored, were added to the organization, or an increase of 375 per cent in membership and over 100 per cent in the number of branches.

"The Association is striving to become so strong in numbers and so effective in method," says the report, "that no president or governor, north or south, no member of congress of any party and no mayor of a city will dare to commit any indignity against Colored people without realizing that the legitimate and constitutional rights of the race will be defended in the press, on the platform, at the ballot box and in the courts."

In making public the report, John R. Shillady, secretary of the association, said the membership had been increased since January 1, by 40 branches and 9,000 additional members. This increase he said, was more than the total membership a year ago.

Jailed Lieutenant for Riding on Pullman; No Redress From War Department.

The report states that the war department in several instances failed to provide redress for Colored officers subjected to indignity in the south, despite the efforts of the association. Several such cases, including that of Lieut. C. A. Tribetts, are recited as follows in the report:

"In March, the case of Lieut. C. A. Tribetts, a graduate of Yale and of the Sheffield Scientific School, who had been forced out of a Pullman coach at Chickasha, Okla., lodged in jail and fined, was presented to the department. In June, the case of Private S. P. Jones, in private life a dentist of good standing in St. Louis, Mo., was similarly laid before the war department. Private Jones was ordered out of a Pullman at Texarkana, on the border between Arkansas and Texas. In neither case, despite the fact that both soldiers were traveling on government order, and had been furnished Pullman transportation, did the war department afford a remedy, or make any attempt to do so, other than to inform the association that the matter was thought by a high subordinate of the secretary of war 'to have to do with the execution of a state law' and that it had been referred to the adjutant general for an opinion. Despite the further efforts of the association, including widespread publicity of its protests, no redress was afforded."

It is further charged by the association that President Wilson took no action of which it was informed to insure that Colored soldiers in camps might vote.

Discrimination by the Government. Employment discrimination against Negroes in government departments in Washington is reported by the association.

"It is the belief of the District of Columbia Branch," says the report, "based upon experience and upon proof, that it is the settled policy at present of many of the heads of federal departments to discriminate against Colored people wherever possible. The policy of the civil service commission in requiring photographs of applicants permits of color discrimination in an easy way and is so used by many of the departments."

Five Negro Women; Four White Men Lynched in 1918.

The association's report of its fight against lynching shows that 67 persons were lynched in 1918, of whom four were white men and five were Colored women. Among the offenses charged against the victims of lynching were "creating disturbance," three cases of "stealing hogs," one case of "aiding mob victim in attempt to escape," and six persons lynched for "conspiracy to avenge killing of relative." Fourteen lynchings occurred following charges of the "murder of civilian," and four on charges of "shooting and wounding."

Victims Admitted Innocent.

"In three cases of which we have record," says the report, "the press has spoken of the innocence of victims; one of these involved three persons another the ten victims of Brooks and Lowndes Counties mobs (aside from the one person who shot the white farmer which was the incentive to the lynchings. In another case it

is the common belief in the community in which a Negro was lynched for 'killing a white woman' that the husband of the woman was himself the murderer. No charge has been brought against him, however, by the authorities. In an additional case a bank cashier declared in an interview in an Alabama paper, that a certain lynching victim had committed no offense, that there had been a mistake made in the man the mob was after."

AGED SOLDIER AND MASON ANSWERS FINAL SUMMONS

Thomas Jefferson Dies at Eagle Side Hospital; Given Masonic Burial.

(Special to Monitor by R. P. Booth.)

Hastings, Neb., May 17.—Thomas Jefferson, well known in Omaha and the middle west, died here at the Eagle Side hospital Saturday, May 10. He was born in Jefferson county, Kentucky, eighty-two years ago and had been a member of the Methodist church for fifty-two years and a Mason for forty-two years. He served in the army during the civil war, enlisting early in the year 1864, and be-

ing mustered out as sergeant at the close of the war.

Mr. Jefferson was admitted to the Soldiers' Home at Grand Island in 1906, but in March of this year he was transferred to the Eagle Side asylum of this city.

Dr. C. A. Flippin, master of True America lodge, A. F. and A. M., Grand Island, spared no pains to follow out his request that he be given a Masonic burial. Marion lodge, No. 38, A. F. and A. M., of Hastings turned out in a body with the former lodge.

Interment was made in the soldiers' cemetery. Dr. Flippin was assisted by A. W. Gates of Marvin lodge. The funeral charge was read by the Rev. Louis A. Arthur, a white Episcopal minister. The ceremonies were impressive. Mr. Jefferson is survived by his widow, who is being tenderly cared for at the Soldiers' Home at Grand Island.

The Children of the Sun

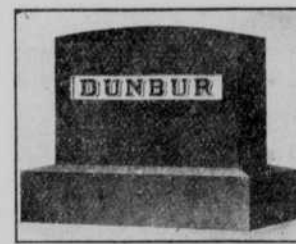
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Prayer meeting, Wednesday night; class meeting Friday, night.

Women's Missionary Society, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

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26th and Franklin Streets

REV. WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Pastor

2629 Caldwell Street.

Webster 6035.

SERVICES

Sunday School, 10 a. m.; morning service and preaching, 11 a. m.

B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m.; evening service and preaching, 8 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night; Women's Missionary Society, 1st and 3d Sunday, 4 p. m.



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Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m., 8 p. m.

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