

THE MONITOR

A National Weekly Newspaper Devoted to the Interests of Colored Americans.

Published every Friday at Omaha, Nebraska, by the Monitor Publishing Company.

Entered as Second-Class Mail Matter July 2, 1915, at the Postoffice at Omaha, Neb., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

THE REV. JOHN ALBERT WILLIAMS, Editor.
George H. W. Bullock, Business Manager and Associate Editor.
W. W. MOSELY, Associate Editor, Lincoln, Neb.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES, \$2.00 A YEAR; \$1.25 6 MONTHS; 75c 3 MONTHS
Advertising Rates Furnished Upon Application.

Address, The Monitor, 204 Kaffir Block, Omaha, Neb.
Telephone Douglas 3224.



TAPS FOR COLONEL YOUNG

News of the death at his post in Liberia of Colonel Charles Young will be received with profound regret by thousands who knew and loved him. Nor is this regret confined to members of his own race of which he was such a worthy and distinguished member. He had hosts of admirers and friends among soldiers and civilians of the dominant race, for he was that type of man who commanded esteem among all with whom he came in contact. Entering West Point Military Academy where he encountered the traditional race prejudice of that institution, he so conducted himself as a gentleman and a scholar that he practically revolutionized the sentiment there and was graduated as one of the most popular men in his class. The key to his success there is found in the fact of his determination to combat prejudice by making himself the best in everything he undertook. This characteristic was dominant throughout his military career. Known as one of the strictest disciplinarians in the Army, Colonel Young was idolized by the men of his command. The affection and admiration in which he was held by the gallant black troopers of his command disapproved the fiction, widely promulgated with design, that colored men will not serve successfully under colored officers. The revulsion of feeling against the administration which swept across the country in 1917 when Lieutenant-Colonel Young was retired "for disability," demonstrated not only his popularity, but the fact that our race was not hoodwinked by the transparent hypocrisy of the trick, the purpose of which was to prevent his promotion to a general, 250 of whom were appointed immediately following Young's retirement. Colonel Young subsequently demonstrated his fitness by his long horseback ride from Xenia to Washington. His conduct upon his retirement, although it was a keen disappointment to him, was worthy of the man. His letters to friends, who had written him, and to the race press, bespeak the man. He was intensely interested in every movement for the advancement of his race and took special delight in encouraging young men to develop the highest and best in them. A soldier by profession who served his country loyally and maintained an untarnished record, Charles Young was also a musician and composer of merit, and a writer of ability. He was a credit to America and a representative of our race to whom we may point with pride.

Taps have sounded for a valiant soldier.

"Soldier, rest! thy warfare o'er;
Dream of fighting fields no more;
Sleep the sleep that knows not breaking,
Morn of toil, nor night of waking."

Latin communion sincerely mourn his death, ardently pray for the repose of his soul and that the cardinalate may be guided to choose a worthy successor.

AN IMPROVEMENT

The Monitor has been pleased to notice an improvement in our local daily press in the reporting of alleged crimes. In two or three cases the Omaha Bee did not mention the nationality of the criminal. The World-Herald did not headline "Negro;" it headlined the holdup and in the body of the article stated that the culprit was a Negro. We are gratified to notice this change in the reporting of alleged crimes, which stresses the crime rather than the race or nationality of the criminal.

THE WILL TO WIN

In times of discouragement men and women are prone to lose heart and give up the struggle. This is all wrong. Where there is the will to win, and the dogged determination to hold out success will eventually come. The only real failure is the failure to try to do one's level best. And if after having done one's best the expected results do not immediately come, don't give up, keep on trying.

HIS WILL

I'm weary of this life on earth—My soul and I. The "second birth" I'd greet with joy. To find release from pain, one hour of peace, Would give my longing soul surcease; And yet the Master holds me here. Why? He knows best, and I through fear Do hesitate to cut the breath That separates my soul from death. Not that I fear the after life, Since all these years of pain and strife To sleep the sleep of peace and rest Would surely be for me the best. But since the Father wills it so, It cannot be my time to go. And so I fear 'twould not be brave To force the issue that I crave. So I will bide the Master's time And bow unto His will sublime.

MRS. J. HAMMOND.
Omaha, Neb., Jan. 17, 1922.

N. W. C. A. NOTES

The N. W. C. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Home the first Wednesday in February. All members are urged to be present as business of importance demands immediate attention. Mr. Levi Wiley an old waiter of Omaha, is now an inmate of the home and wishes his friends to call and see him.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for night housekeeping. Reference required. Web. 1198.



DISTRIBUTORS OF
Genuine Bernice Anthracite
Greenwood Semi-Anthracite
Canon City Lump

ILLINOIS SPECIAL
Liberty Lump \$9.50
Standard Lump \$8.75

KING KOAL COMPANY

Formerly Andressen Coal Company

Kenwood 0425. Jackson 0840. D. L. S. Clark. Chas. Kirkland

LONG SIEGE OF FREAK WEATHER

World Is Slowly Recovering From Severe Attack of Meteorological Mumps.

EXPECT PATIENT TO SURVIVE

United States Suffers Chiefly From Excess of High Temperature and Deficiency of Moisture—Some Recent Disasters.

New York.—The old spheroid known as the earth is emerging from what some human diagnosticians might call a severe attack of meteorological mumps. It has been accompanied by an intermittent fever, manifested in a world-wide heat wave of unusual length and intensity. In spite of crises and relapses, earthquakes, tidal waves, cloudbursts, typhoons, waterspouts, hailstorms, floods and hurricanes in many widely separated parts, from Kamchatka to Cape Horn and from Guam to Guadaloupe, the doctors are confident the patient will recover.

Meanwhile the United States for the last year has been suffering chiefly from an excess of high temperature and a deficiency of moisture, a condition unprecedented in the fifty years' history of the weather bureau.

Suffers Heat Waves.

The persistent higher temperatures, for which a number of speculative explanations have been given, began in August, 1920, and for the succeeding twelve months there was an average monthly excess above normal of 3.4 degrees. March, 1921, an unusually warm spring month, had an excess average of 10.8 degrees. The first break in the record occurred last August, which was slightly below normal.

In the nine months' period beginning in October, 1918, and ending in July, 1919, the average monthly temperature was 2.71 degrees above normal, and this was a record until sun spots, sea bottom upheavals or other hypothetical causes sent the mercury still higher. The highest average temperature ever recorded in this country for the month of March, weather officials say, was 48.3, in March, 1921.

The average temperature for April, 1921—55 degrees—was the warmest for that month in half a century. May and June were not unusual, but July broke all records for the preceding eleven years.

Weather bureau officials here declined to discuss the possible connection between the present high temperatures and disasters of nature in many parts of the world.

A glance back for recent disasters and natural phenomena shows the following:

Two million Koreans starving in Manchuria owing to drought-ruined crops.

Three hundred buildings wrecked and many killed by hailstorm and waterspout at Baez, Cuba.

Three volcanoes, Villarica, Linaima and Lanin, spout flames more than a thousand feet from craters.

Drought kills fish in river Seine and France suffers most severe drought in 47 years.

Rhine and Moselle rivers do great damage in highest flood in 136 years.

Cloudburst and hailstorm damage at Rome, Italy.

Mount Vesuvius shows activity and earthquake shock is felt from Leghorn to Lake Lugano.

Italian destroyers carry inhabitants to safety as volcano Stromboli resumes activity.

Damage of several million drachmas done in Greece by severe hailstorms.

Earth Blocks Canal.

Earth blocks Corinth canal. Cyclone devastates three towns in Haiti.

Volcano Kilauwa in Hawaii spouts immense fountains of lava.

Activity of the volcano Popocatepetl in Mexico increasing.

Earthquake shakes Vera Cruz and four other cities.

Lightning strikes oil wells, causing millions of dollars damage in Tampico and other districts.

Mexicans pray to "water goddess" to end drought.

Volcano Colima in Jalisco is in eruption.

Many lives lost in waterspout which destroyed part of Tangier, Morocco.

Volcano Masaya in Nicaragua in eruption.

Typhoon and floods in Philippines, and especially on island of Luzon, do great damage.

Six new craters opened at Mount Izaleo, Salvador.

Waterspout in Mala-Doura, province of Spain, damages crops and villages.

Heat in the Alps causes glaciers to shrink and nine mountain climbers are killed.

Seventy-five dead in tornadoes which sweep southern United States.

Flood inundates Pueblo, causing \$10,000,000 property loss.

Forty-seven perish in San Antonio (Texas) flood.

One consolation of the freak weather, however, is the prospect of an "open winter."

Find Buried Treasure.

Berlin.—Twenty million marks' worth of gold and silver, which is believed to have been hidden by Germany's legendary "Capt. Kidd"—Claus Stoorbecker—has just been dug up near the North sea coast, said a Hamburg dispatch to the Neue Berliner Zeitung.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT

ED. F. MOREARTY,
Attorney-at-Law

To Albert C. Stone, Non-Resident Defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 12th day of May, 1915, Emily Stone, your wife, filed her petition in the District Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, to obtain an absolute decree of divorce from you on the grounds of non-support. You are further notified that on the 4th day of January, 1922, leave was given by Hon. Willis G. Sears, judge of the District Court of Douglas County, Nebraska, to

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

If You Are Interested in a FORD car of any type, you can find what you want at our Used Ford Department at 1810 Cuming Street

We Have Them at All Prices
Sedans, Coupes, Tourings, Runabouts,
Ton Trucks and Light Delivery Jobs

We Solicit Your Patronage.

SAMPLE-HART MOTOR COMPANY
Authorized Ford Dealer
USED FORD CAR DEPARTMENT
1810 Cuming St. Atlantic 5468

DIAMOND

24th & LAKE STREETS

Friday
"Winners of the West"
CONSTANCE BINNEY
in
"The Magic Cup"
Saturday
MONROE SALISBURY
in
"The Renegade"
Also 2 reel Comedy
Sunday
ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN
in
"The Daughser Pays"
JACK PERRIN
in
"Both Barrels"
Monday
LARRY SEMON
in
"The Simple Life"
Tuesday Wednesday
DOROTHY DALTON
in
"The Dark Mirror"

ADLER & FORBES BAKERY
24th & Clark
"Try Our Milk Crest Bread First"

Circus Is Coming

OMAHA AUDITORIUM
STARTING MONDAY FEBRUARY 6th
Entire Week—Matinees at 3:15, Nights at 8:15

TANGIER SHRINE TEMPLE
Presents

Agee's All Star Winter Circus

Largest and best Indoor Circus. Professional Acts from the big Summer Shows. Elephants, Trained Lions, Bareback Riders, Acrobats, Bucking Mules, Funny Clowns, Aerial Artists, Educated Horses and Prancing Ponies.

Prices: Children 50 cents, Adult \$1.00, plus tax.
No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats

file service by publication. You are required to answer said petition on or before February 21, 1922.

41-1-6-13-20-27-'22.

Did It Seem That Long?
Santa Cruz News—"She was sixty-nine years of age and she had been married for more than a century."—Boston Transcript.

Wanted Doctor in a Hurry.
Richard broke two bones in his leg. When his father went to the telephone to summon a doctor the little chap said: "Please, daddy, tell the doctor to come in a flying machine instead of his auto so he can come quick, 'cause it hurts me so."

Ancient Popular Pastime.
The Chinese have played ball in various ways from times of remote antiquity. For centuries games of ball have been known and played in Japan, Ethiopia and East Indian traditions refer to games with balls played many centuries ago.

Best Groceries and Meats at Lowest Prices

Every Day Special Bargain Day at This Store in Our Groceries, Meats, Fruits, Vegetables and Canned Goods

We Sell **SKINNER'S** The Highest Grade Macaroni Egg Noodles, Spaghetti and other Macaroni Products

TUCHMAN BROS.

Groceries and Meats
24th and Lake Streets Webster 0402

For High Grade **PRINTING**
That Brings Results
Call Web. 2762 or Doug. 7841
With FIFTEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE in the Printing business and can save you money. Let me figure on your work. Graduate Class 1910 Tuskegee Institute. As near you as your telephone. With GREAT WESTERN ADV. CO., Kaffir Bldg.

W. K. FLEMMING
2202 Clark St.

Reid--Duffy Pharmacy

24th and Lake Sts. Webster 0609
Free Delivery

GOOD GROCERIES ALWAYS
C. P. WESIN GROCERY CO.
Also Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.
2005 Cuming St. Telephone Douglas 1998

We give you the **BEST QUALITY** for the **LOWEST PRICE.**

FRESH GROCERIES: LOWEST PRICES.

The Peoples Bargain Store

N. E. Cor. 26th & Q. Sts. SOUTH SIDE Market 1018

We Sell **SKINNER'S** The Highest Grade Macaroni Egg Noodles, Spaghetti and other Macaroni Products

FOR **Victrolas or Graphonolas** and The Latest in All Kinds of Music
Go to **The Q Street Pharmacy**
25th & Q Sts. Market 0200
Prices and Terms Always to Suit. \$1.00 Down and \$1.00 per week

Army Goods

Winter is here, there is no denying this fact. Why wait? Now is the time to buy your winter supply when the stock is complete and you have a big assortment to select from.

Sleeveless Sweaters, special \$1.68
A Heavy All-Leather Work Shoe 4.95
Genuine All-Wool Army Mackinaw 10.95
Regulation Officers' Dress Shoes 6.85

A new shipment of Army 2-piece All-Wool Underwear at \$1.50 per garment

You are invited to inspect our store and be convinced as to the quality and durability of our goods.

Bloom's Army Store

4804 South 24th St.
All Goods Positively Guaranteed or Money Refunded