

Local and Personal Happenings

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The funeral of little Erma Webb was held from Pilgrim Baptist church last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. John W. Long who has been quite ill for the past two weeks at her home, 2708 Ohio street, is much better.

Mrs. Fred C. Williams left Thursday afternoon for St. Louis, Mo., for an indefinite stay there with relatives.

Mrs. Lizzie Buford who was detained at home last week with an abscess in her head is able to be out again.

The Phi Delta Girls held their regular monthly meeting Wednesday at the home of Miss Dorothy Williams.

N. P. Patton has been serving on the jury in the District Court for the past two weeks and enjoyed his job.

Mrs. Anna Banks, 924 North Twentieth street, is slowly recovering from a ten days' illness.

R. F. Mearns, Lawyer, 700 Peters Trust Bldg., Jackson 841 or Harney 2156.

Mrs. Lulu Rountree and her two little granddaughters, Lulu and Isabelle Green, returned Monday morning from Chicago where they visited Mrs. Rountree's daughter.

The Dames' Club met Wednesday with Mrs. W. H. Robinson, 2122 Lake street. The first prize was won by Mrs. A. L. Hawkins and the booty was captured by Mrs. A. G. Edwards.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. E. Britt.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon held its annual meeting last Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Harry Schwein and elected the following officers:

Mrs. Isaac Bailey, president; Mrs. John Albert Williams, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Shropshire, secretary; Mrs. John W. Gatus, treasurer; Mrs. A. D. James, assistant secretary; Mrs. F. R. RENT—Furnished room for gentleman in strictly modern home, 2310 North 22nd street. Webster 1105.

Jasper Brown, united offering treasurer, and Mrs. C. H. Hicks, custodian.

Mrs. Anna Windburn of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mrs. Georgia McCoy of Lewistown, Mont., who were called to Omaha by the death of their sister, Mrs. Ella P. Johnson, left Saturday morning for their respective homes.

Among the recent Omaha arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. M. V. White of Kansas City, Mo., who are stopping at the Patton hotel.

The N. W. C. A. held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday at the home. There was a large attendance, Mrs. Shelton, chairman of the New Year's Day open house, re-

ported donations of \$10.95 for the building fund and thanks the public for their interest.

The Patton hotel reports the following guests registered there this week: O. W. McGee, San Francisco, Cal.; W. R. Keye and Thomas John, Kansas City, Mo.; L. Brown and L. E. Bonty, Lincoln, Neb.; F. Johnson, Deadwood So. Dak.; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stokes, Denver, Col.; Ben Frazier, Cheyenne Wyo.; L. Thomas, Chicago; George Logan, Des Moines, Ia., and E. Thomas, Wichita, Kans.

Confirmation instruction will begin next Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Church of St. Philip the Deacon. All persons desirous of entering the class are requested to be present. The services on Sunday will be as usual at 7:30 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 10 a. m., 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.

Earl A. Edwards, business manager of The Monitor, has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Simon Harrold was called to Minneapolis Tuesday by the death of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Washington, who had been an invalid for some time. Mrs. Harrold had only returned to Omaha a short time ago leaving her mother slightly improved.

Rev. M. Wilkinson, state missionary for Colored Baptists, will begin a financial campaign this week to pay off the remaining indebtedness on the Springhill Baptist church, Thirty-third and Emmet streets. The goal is \$350. He will be at Pilgrim Baptist church this Sunday morning and at Mt. Moriah at night.

Mr. Anderson Bland and Mrs. Mildred Campbell stole a march on their friends, when they were married December 16, 1922, at the residence of the bride, 117 North Thirty-seventh street. Relatives and a few friends witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. C. Williams.

Cunningham Wilson, secretary of the Headen Motor company, Chicago, was in Omaha last week on a business trip and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Wilson.

Eli Davis, aged 29, died at St. Joseph's hospital Tuesday and was buried at Forest Lawn cemetery on Thursday afternoon. Rev. John Albert Williams officiated.

Mrs. John A. Smith who recently underwent an operation at the Lord Lister hospital is steadily improving and hopes to be home soon.

WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Anna Jones, wife of Twenty-fourth Street Barber, Stricken Without Warning in Home.

Last Friday night about six o'clock, Mrs. Anna Jones, wife of T. V. Jones, prominent North Twenty-fourth street barber, died suddenly in her home, 2237 Seward street. Mr. Jones, who was apparently in the best of health, and had complained of no illness, was talking with members of her household when she suddenly placed her hand over her heart and expired immediately. Her death was a great shock to all who knew her. Mrs. Jones was born in Sardis, Miss., in 1878 and was married to Mr. Jones at Enid, Okla., in 1917. She was a member of Mt. Nebo Baptist church, the Household of Ruth, Daughters of the Tabernacle, the Mosaic Templars, and the Royal Circle of Friends. The funeral was held from Zion Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, the Rev. W. F. Botts officiating. Interment was at Forest Lawn. The deceased is survived by her husband, one sister, Mrs. Lena Abner and a nephew, Clarence Jackson, both of Omaha.

Our Sunday school is having new awakenings. There is a call to young women who are able to instruct in things pertaining to God. Could there be anything more worthy of consideration? Let us have more teachers.

Services Sunday will be as follows: "An Erroneous Conclusion and What Came of It." 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor, topic, "Why Do We Think the Bible is the Word of God?" II Timothy 3:14-17.

ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH

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MRS. ELLA JOHNSON VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

Prominent Member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Passes Away After a Brief Illness.

Mrs. Ella P. Johnson, widow of the late Prof. William J. Johnson, died early Friday morning at her home, 3216 Charles street, after five days illness with pneumonia. She complained of feeling ill Saturday night, but did not think it serious enough to call a physician until Sunday night, when pronounced her case pneumonia. Despite the best medical attention she passed quietly and peacefully away Friday morning. Mrs. Johnson was active in religious work, being a prominent member of St. Paul's Presbyterian church. Mrs. Johnson, whose maiden name was Wells, was born in Linn county, Kansas, a little over fifty years ago. She was married to Prof. William Joseph Johnson thirty-eight years ago. The family moved to Omaha from Topeka, Kansas, in 1904. She is survived by her son, Winfred J., a grandson, Albert; two sisters, Mrs. Anna Winsbur of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mrs. Georgia McCoy, of Lewistown, Mont., and other relatives. The funeral was held from the family residence Monday afternoon, at two o'clock, the Rev. Russell Taylor officiating. Interment was at Forest Lawn.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DISCHARGES EMPLOYEES

Unsatisfactory Work on Part of One or Two Said to Be Responsible for Discharge of All.

For several years the Omaha Chamber of Commerce has employed colored help in the billiard room and as pages and maids. Last Thursday they were served notice that at the end of the week their services would be dispensed with and white help substituted. This action, it is alleged by Mr. Ellis, assistant commissioner, was taken because of the failure of two or three of the employees to give satisfactory service after repeated warnings, and inasmuch as he deemed it impracticable to use both colored and white employees in this department, his only recourse was to discharge all. Upon being served notice of their coming discharge all seven employees quit Thursday night. Two, Messrs Lancaster and Davis, reconsidered and returned Friday morning.

The Colored Commercial Club at its meeting Thursday night was advised of the contemplated action and a committee of three consisting of Dan Desdunes, Rev. John Albert Williams and Rev. Russell Taylor was appointed to visit the Chamber of Commerce, ascertain the facts, and see what could be done to retain the satisfactory employees and replace the unsatisfactory ones. The committee visited the Chamber of Commerce Friday afternoon and was courteously received by Mr. Ellis, who stated the situation to be as outlined above. He said that he had decided to try the experiment of using white help and the abrupt leaving of the colored employees made it necessary to secure new employees at once. The committee's visit was therefore rendered futile because of the fact that the colored employees had already quit. This rendered it impossible for the committee to ask for reconsideration of the order of discharge.

Those affected by the change were Albert Lancaster, Arthur Davis, Richard Joyner, Russel Taylor Jr., and Mesdames Augusta Bascom and Raylene Jones. Mr. Lancaster had been employed there for several years. The employees, whose work it is alleged was unsatisfactory, claim that there was more work put upon them than they could do and too much was expected of them.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

The Girls' Friendly Society of the Church of St. Philip the Deacon held their annual meeting and election of officers Monday afternoon at the rec-tory. The following were elected: Margaret Murray, president, Thelma Shipman, vice-president; Florence Jones, secretary; Melva McCaw, treasurer; Nonence Gibson, assistant secretary.

FOUND HIS NAME AND CLAIMED HIS DOLLAR

W. H. Mortimer, 2714 Ohio street, found his name last week in the advertisement of Thomas Kilpatrick & Co., one of the Monitor's regular advertisers, and claimed his dollar which it gives The Monitor pleasure to pay. Is your name there this week? Read the "ads" and see.

MR. WATERS INJURED BY AUTO

Mr. E. T. Waters of the firm of the Waters-Barnhart Printing Company, who have been printing the Monitor all these years, was seriously injured last week Wednesday by an automobile as he was running for a street car. Fortunately no bones were broken and Mr. Waters' many friends are anxious to see him at his post again, in which no one more sincerely joins than the editor of The Monitor.

"NO!"

By BEULAH ROSE
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"Who? Judy's young man? Oh, he's a simpleton! So easy-going you'd never think he ever had any trouble in getting what he wanted. He comes to see Judy, asks her for a kiss and gets it without the least bit of trouble. She always says 'yes' to whatever he asks. That's what gets me. Always yes! I can't understand her. But I know she'll be mighty sorry after she's married. He'll lead her around like a puppy, and she'll have to be as meek and docile as she is now. I wish she'd open her eyes and say 'no' once in a while, so that he'd realize it's not so easy to get a girl, after all. You know, a girl's got to be mighty careful in order to preserve her self-respect."

"So this was what they thought of her! So this was what they thought of him, her Martin! Brushing a tear off her burning cheek, Judy hastily left her place of concealment and went to her room. Once there, she flew to the mirror and gazed steadfastly into it. A silly, sentimental little girl gazed back at her. Anger filled the heart of the silly little girl.

"Fool!" she snapped, at the image in the glass. "They're right. You've got to drop that 'yes' right out of your vocabulary and use 'no' for the rest of your life. You've got to say 'no' to everything he says! He needs some real knowledge, and if you don't show him you're more than he thinks you are, you'll— you'll—" And she shook her fist menacingly at the girl who looked back at her from the glass.

They were sitting on the piano stool in the parlor—Judy and Martin. She had been playing and he had been singing. He certainly did have a wonderful voice, thought Judy, but she neither gave voice to her thoughts, nor did she forget the promise she had made to her reflection in the mirror.

"Judy." He put his arm around her waist. "Are you going to give me just one for my song?"

"No!"

He was astonished. This was unlike Judy.

"Just one?" he repeated.

"No, not one." And she pushed his arm away and chose a chair.

He followed her and stood behind her, twisting the little curl that hung from the beautiful, golden pug on her head.

"Don't you like me to play with your pretty curls?" he asked, in a voice which she thought was oh, so weak and unimportant.

"No," she said peremptorily, plucking the attractive ringlet under with a hairpin. "Oh dear!" sighed her heart, "he's got no sense!" He isn't like a real lover at all. But, and she clenched her fist determinedly, "he'll learn. Yes, he'll learn, if I have to suffer for it."

For the remainder of the evening "No" reigned like a king. It was "No" to this and "No" to that. Everything was "No." When the unfortunate lover went home that night he hated the man who had been thoughtless enough to make "n" and "o" a word of the English language.

But "no" imparted a new kind of knowledge to his brain, and that knowledge was made use of the next time he visited the girl of his heart.

An importunate throb of pain shot through Judy's heart when she opened the door to her lover a few nights later. She began to feel sorry now. Perhaps—but she would not take back what she had started out to accomplish. No! He must learn. They could not afford to be called fools by all who knew them.

As Judy looked into his eyes that night she thought she saw a bit of sadness in them, and this bit of sadness almost caused her to relent when he asked her for "just one." But she managed to hold her ground.

"No," she answered.

"Do you love me, Judy?" he asked.

"No." It was hard, but she had succeeded.

Suddenly he rose to his feet and confronted her pleadingly—oh, so like an ardent lover!

"Judy!" he exclaimed passionately. "Please—oh, please, stop saying 'no'! I think I know now why I've made you so indifferent. I've been too thoughtless all along. Isn't that so? Judy, forgive me—I'm sorry for whatever I've done. But you must know I love you, Judy—you'll never know how much—and I—"

He bent down and lifted her in his arms.

"Judy, I can't live without you. Will you marry me?"

"Yes," she whispered tremulously, letting a tear fall on his shoulder.

How She Got Even.

A young woman was commissioned by her father to buy some neckties. She thought she knew exactly what he wanted. She was sure she knew what she wanted him to have, and in any event she did not need the assistance of the clerk. But the clerk had a great deal of advice to give, and he gave it in a flippant, aggressive manner which was most obnoxious to the young woman. Finally she was shown a line of gorgeous purples.

"There," said the clerk, with an impertinently knowing smile, "I'm sure he'll like one of those. All the young men like them."

The girl glanced at them indifferently, and then at the young man as if she saw him for the first time. "Oh, he's not so young as you are," she said. "He's a full-grown man."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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